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TO INTERROGATE NEW YORK MAYOR

Members of Senate Decide to Question Him Themselves

RULES AGREED UPON

Attorney General or One of His Deputies Will Conduct Mr. Wagner's Case

Albany, March 28. — Majority Leader Elon R. Brown of the senate was overruled by his fellow members today as to the form of procedure to be followed when Mayor John Purroy Mitchel of New York city is brought before the bar of the senate next Tuesday to answer the charge of "having published false and malicious reports of the conduct of a member of the senate in his legislative capacity." The charge is based on the alleged statement by the Mayor that Senator Robert F. Wagner of New York, the minority leader, appeared to be working in the interests of the German government.

For more than five hours Senator Brown labored vainly to persuade the senate so to modify the rule of procedure as to prevent the questioning of Mayor Mitchel by individual senators. Throughout this period the proceedings were conducted in secrecy. It is known, however, that the debate was heated at times, and the majority leader was the target of volleys of questions and comments from those members who favored more latitude in the examination of the Mayor.

The special committee, under the chairmanship of Senator Charles D. Newton, appointed by the senate to formulate the rules of procedure, made its report, which was adopted finally with but little change. Senator Brown endeavored to amend it so as to require that any question to be asked of the Mayor should be submitted in writing to the board of five managers which will conduct the inquiry, and, if approved by them, to be put to the Mayor by one of the examining attorneys. In advocating this course Senator Brown declared that the senate was "sizzling with politics" and that he did not wish to have it appear that the legislature was participating in a New York mayoralty campaign.

Senators James A. Foley and James J. Walker, Democrats of New York, resented the majority leader's intimation that politics were being injected into the situation. "Senator Wagner is not playing politics; he merely wants vindication," Mr. Foley said. "The only politics have been injected by the mayor and his friends."

Senator Ogden L. Mills, Republican of New York, spoke in favor of the majority leader's proposed amendment. He argued that the adoption of this course would tend to preserve the dignity of the senate.

The rules adopted provide that the examination of Mayor Mitchel shall be conducted by a committee of five, which may employ counsel if it desires. Former Senator Edgar T. Brackett of Saratoga Springs had been tentatively named as the committee's counsel, but because of opposition from Governor Whitman and several of the Republican leaders, it was decided to have the attorney general or one of his deputies represent the committee if an attorney was necessary. Senator Wagner will be represented by Samuel Untermeyer, and Former Senator Harvey D. Hinman and Ray B. Smith will appear in behalf of Mayor Mitchel.

The proceedings will begin Tuesday noon and will be open to the public. The presiding officer of the senate, Majority Leader Brown, shall rule on all questions that may arise, his ruling to be final unless an appeal should be made by five members, in which event the senate shall pass upon the appeal in executive session. The inquiry will be conducted under the same rules of evidence and examination of witness that prevail in the courts.

When the testimony is concluded and the evidence summed up, the senate will decide whether the charge has been sustained. If the vote is in the negative, the Mayor will be discharged from further attendance. If the senate decides that the charge has been substantiated, it will then have to determine what punishment if any shall be imposed.

Former Senator Hinman spent the greater part of the day at the capitol and talked with several members of the senate. It is understood that the Mayor's attorneys may question the jurisdiction of the senate in the matter.

New York, March 28. — Among the obstacles blocking the state's plan to take the Rockaway Neck land needed by the government for fortification purposes are "the machinations of shrewd land speculators and lack of patriotism on the part of interests represented in the Rockaway-Pacific corporation," Deputy Attorney General Becker declared here today in an argument before the federal circuit court of appeals.

Mr. Becker appeared as the representative of the state on the application of the land corporation to have a temporary injunction made permanent pending the suit of the corporation to restrain the military condemnation commission from taking the land needed for a new fort, now being erected. Protesting that the corporation did not wish to impede the government in its efforts to promote national defense, the land company's attorneys argued that the state's attempts to take possession of the land were unconstitutional because they did not provide just compensation and did not proceed "by due process of the law." It was asserted that the state had assumed the functions of the federal government when it attempted by passage of the Sage bill to take the property for fortifications purposes.

Mr. Becker's declaration was in reply to these contentions. He asked the court to regard the affidavits "of the so-called experts" who declared the value of the land to be taken was in excess of $2,000,000 and to consider only the sworn statement of the treasurer of the company to the state department to the effect that the entire acreage at Rockaway Neck had a gross value of $856,500, pointing out that the state is taking only half the acreage. He asserted that "the Rockaway Pacific corporation, alias the Southern Pacific railroad," had failed to show that the $1,000,000 appropriation made by the state was inadequate.

Decision was reserved by the court.

SUSPENSION OF INCREASES

Will be Course Followed by Commerce Commission.

Washington, D. C., March 28.—Suspension pending investigation of all increases in freight rates, proposed by the railroads of the country in their forthcoming application for a general advance, appeared tonight to be the course which the interstate commerce commission probably will follow when the railroad groups file their proposals.

Suspension, it was indicated, would not be for the customary period of six months, but for a period not to exceed 60 days.

Eastern railroads, it is understood, virtually have abandoned their plan to have the proposed increase of 15 per cent go into effect without investigation by the commission and have intimated that they will withdraw that portion of their petition asking that the rates be permitted to become effective without suspension or content themselves with an adverse ruling on that point. It was understood that an effort will be made by the railroads to have the period of suspension limited to 30 days in view of what they characterize as an emergency situation.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK PROMISES $50,000,000

TO MEET EMERGENCY NEEDS OF GOVERNMENT AT LOW INTEREST

Washington, D. C., March 28. — The 12 federal reserve banks today over subscribed, on 24 hours' notice, a 90 day loan to the government of $50,000,000 at the rate of two per cent a year.

The money was borrowed on 90 day treasury certificates of indebtedness to help tide over the government until June, when the great stream of income and internal revenue taxes will flow into the treasury. An additional $50,000,000, it was announced, may be borrowed in the same manner before the close of the fiscal year.

Temporary financing of the government in this manner was made necessary by the depleted condition of the balance in the general funds of the treasury reduced to approximately $58,000,000 and facing a further reduction of $25,000,000 Saturday when the government will issue a warrant for that amount in the payment of the Danish West Indies.

The issue of certificates of indebtedness to run not longer than one year, and to bear interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent, have been authorized by congress up to $300,000,000 and today's issue is the first to be made under this authorization. In addition, Secretary McAdoo has authority to issue $474,000,000 in bonds for various purposes, including the Panama canal bonds, to reimburse the treasury for the amounts paid out of the ordinary receipts for the construction of the canal. Mr. McAdoo is understood to have the issuance of bonds under consideration.

The quick subscription to the $50,000,000 issue of certificates by federal reserve banks alone—without reference to any of the member banks in the federal reserve system with their billions of dollars of resources—at a rate of interest one per cent lower than the rate authorized, is viewed by officials as a striking demonstration of the excellent condition of financial preparedness of the nation's financial system for any events that the future may hold.

Becker Continues His Testimony.

New York, March 28. — Ernest Becker, one of the six Germans on trial here charged with plotting to destroy vessels leaving American ports with munitions for the entente allies, declared on the witness stand today that "Germans are accustomed to doing as they are told, not to asking questions." This answer was called forth after he had testified to having made parts of shells which were used for bombs, but denied knowing for what the bombs were to be used.

Becker, an electrician on board the German steamship Friedrich der Grosse, tied up at Hoboken, N. J., since the outbreak of the European war, said he had once served in the German army.

CHANGE OF PLANS SEEMS UNLIKELY

Declaration That State of War Exists Most Probable

ALL DEPARTMENTS BUSY

Senator Husting of Wisconsin Says People of West Are Behind President Wilson

Washington, D. C., March 28. — It was learned definitely today that the American government has no knowledge of any developments likely to come before congress convenes which would change the present situation between the United States and Germany. If Germany contemplates any sort of peace move or has considered abandoning submarine ruthlessness, or if any other nation has a step in mind designed to alter the present international status, the government is without information on the subject.

Except for information concerning German plots against American interests, it was learned, the public in a general way knows as much as the government about everything directly affecting the present crisis. Concerning German intrigues in this and other countries, the government has much information which up to the present it has not thought it wise to make public.

President Wilson today continued conference with his advisors preparatory to writing the address he will deliver to congress next week.

The administration is said to be chiefly concerned at present with the form of action to be taken by congress recognizing that Germany is making war on the United States and with preparedness measures. Aggressive steps, while being carefully considered, are understood to be looked upon as questions for determination after congress has defined the status of the nation.

Whether suggestions that a huge loan or gift of money to one or more of the entente allies, should be adopted, whether an army should be sent abroad and whether increased supplies of munitions should be forwarded are generally regarded as questions which would only confuse the issue if pressed to decision now.

The President has told no one just what his message to congress will include. It is expected to review the history of the negotiations with Germany leading up to the present situation, and submit what he believes congress should do. The preponderance of opinion still is that Congress will adopt a resolution declaring that a state of war exists.

The President conferred during the day with Col. E. M. House, who came here last night and returned to New York tonight and with Senator Husting of Wisconsin, just back from home. Secretaries Lansing, Daniels and Baker met to discuss activities common to their departments.

Secretary Daniels, Attorney General Gregory and Secretary McAdoo paid brief visits to the White House.

On leaving the White House Senator Husting said he could not give the President's views but that his personal opinion was that Germany is making war on the United States and that the United States would recognize the fact. He added that he believed the people of the west were ready to support the President fully.

"Armed neutrality has not kept Germany from sinking our ships," Senator Husting said," and therefore I think we should go further. Of course, I am opposed to war if it can be avoided, but we have no say in the matter. Germany is making war on us. I am not concerned with details just now; just what steps are best should be left to the determination of the board of strategy, whoever that may be. Discussion of details at present only causes discord."

President Wilson and practically every member of his cabinet have received invitations within the last few days to address patriotic meetings in various parts of the country, but so far they have consistently refused to accept them. They have done so partly because they have been too busy here with actual preparations and partly because they do not desire to be placed in the position of making efforts to stir up the country. They believe that the nation is fully aware of the danger of the present situation and will respond readily to any reasonable demands either for money or for men.

Germans Regain Foothold.

Paris, France, March 28. — Heavy artillery fighting between the French and Germans took place today on the Essigny-Benay front. The Germans delivered a strong attack in the Champagne region, gaining a foothold in the French first line, but according to the official communication issued tonight by the war office, all their attempts against Maisons de Champagne were defeated with sanguinary losses.

Some Fighting in Cuba.

Havana, Cuba, March 28.—Government forces commanded by Col. Betancourt yesterday dispersed a strong rebel band and occupied the town of Songo, Oriente province.

Among the killed on the government side was Lieut. Diaz, who was Major Rigoberto Fernandez aide at the time the latter revolted at Santiago de Cuba and seized the city.

"NEWS QUARANTINE."

The Hague, Holland, via London, England, March 28. — The Associated Press has been informed from an absolutely authentic source that the German government will ask American officials and relief workers of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium to submit to a period of "news quarantine," the time not to exceed four weeks, in order to prevent military information from leaking out.

The time would count from the day the men lay down their present charges and notify the authorities in Brussels of their readiness to depart. They will be asked to assemble at some center, like Liege, or preferably a German city, such as Cologne, Karlsruhe or Munich, which they would not be allowed to leave for the period mentioned.

The "news quarantine" would apply equally to Brand Whitlock, the American minister to Belgium, and his staff, whom the German government, since the break in diplomatic relations regards on the same footing as relief workers, although personally in the case of Mr. Whitlock the period of detention, as a matter of courtesy, might be shortened. After the "quarantine" has ended, it is stated that no obstacles will be placed in the way of the departure of the officials and relief workers by any route they may choose.

50,000 GUARDSMEN ARE NOW READY FOR SERVICE

CONSTRUCTION WORK WILL BE RUSHED WITH ALL SPEED

Washington, D. C., March 28.—The number of National Guardsmen called into the federal service for policing industrial and other strategic points was brought up to 50,000 under orders issued today. At the same time the regular first regiment of engineers, scattered along the Mexican border, was ordered back to its barracks at the capital; the navy took additional measures to hasten construction and equipment of fighting ships and both the war and navy departments announced further provisions to facilitate recruiting.

The National Guard regiments ordered out today "for police purposes of protection" are the First West Virginia infantry, the Seventy-fourth New York infantry, the Second Connecticut infantry and the Second New Jersey infantry.

Because of a misunderstanding as to the number of troops affected by the order issued yesterday stopping demobilization of the guardsmen returning from border duty, the war department also directed that all organizations, which have been mustered out of the federal service but have not left the state camps, be brought back under arms.

At the navy department bids were opened for a large quantity of ordnance supplies and Secretary Daniels announced that additional bids would be opened Saturday for construction of submarine chasers. He expects to order a large number of these small craft as soon as all ship building concerns have given the department information as to their capacity.

The New York Shipbuilding company, the secretary also said, has been requested to speed up construction of the superdreadnaught Idaho. Builders of the battleships Maryland, Colorado, West Virginia and Washington also have been requested to expedite construction work. Both the war and navy department are enrolling physicians from civil life in order to expedite recruiting. During the day Secretaries Lansing, Baker and Daniels conferred regarding the army and navy preparations. Tonight Mr. Daniels left for Annapolis to preside at the graduation exercises there tomorrow of the first class of 183 midshipmen ordered into active service three months ahead of its regular June graduation. The second class which will be called into service in September probably will be kept at the academy this summer for intensive training instead of taking the annual cruise.

British Cavalry Advance.

London, England, March 28.—British cavalry today captured the villages of Villers-Faucon and Saulcourt, north of Roisel and also to the north of this region took terrain from the Germans at two points on the Boignes-Lagincourt road and south and west of Croisilles, according to the official communication issued tonight.

Democrats Select Smith.

New York, March 28. — Thomas F. Smith, secretary of Tammany Hall, was unanimously designated tonight as the Democratic nominee for congress from the Fifteenth district to succeed the late Michael F. Conry. His Republican opponent at the special election to be held April 12, will be designated tomorrow night.

Darcy Will Meet Smith.

New Orleans, La., March 28.—Les Darcy of Australia and Jeff Smith of New York will fight 20 rounds to a decision here May 4, according to the announcement tonight of a local promoter. The bout will be advertised as for the middle weight championship of the world.

NO LIVES LOST WHEN TRANSPORT HITS MINE

RELIEF SHIPS REACH THEM IN TIME TO TAKE ALL OFF

London, England, March 28. — The British transport, Tindareus, with a battalion of the Middlesex regiment aboard, struck a mine on February 9, off Cape Agulhas, the southernmost point of Africa. The men were paraded on deck and after roll call began to sing while they waited for the ship to sink.

The Tyndareus, however, was saved and the troops were transferred to two rescuing steamers, having upheld, as expressed in the official admiralty report, "the cherished tradition of the Birkenhead."

The admiralty issued tonight the following statement on the incident:

"The admiralty transport Tyndareus, with a battalion of the Middlesex regiment aboard, struck a mine at 8 in the evening of February 9, off Cape Agulhas. A strong southwesterly gale was blowing and immediately after the explosion the ship began to settle by the head with propellors out of the water.

"'Assembly' was sounded and the men donned lifebelts and paraded in perfect order. Roll was called and upon the order 'stand easy' the whole battalion began to sing.

"Two steamers dispatched to the rescue arrived on the scene within half an hour. During this trying time, although faced by the probability of imminent death, the troops maintained steadfast courage and discipline. Never was the tradition of the British army more worthily upheld than on this occasion.

"Thanks to the devotion and perseverence of the captain and the officers the ship was saved. The troops were transferred to the two and taken to Simonstown, where the Tyndareus subsequently returned under her own steam with two holds flooded and another leaking.

"The King has graciously expressed his deep admiration for the conduct of all ranks in upholding the cherished tradition of the Birkenhead."

The Birkenhead, a British troop ship, struck a rock off Simons Bay, South Africa, on February 26, 1852, while having on board 638 persons, largely troops, on their way to the Cape. Of the crew and soldiers on board 434 were lost.

WAR NEWS CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS

Further gains by the British over the Germans northwest of St. Quentin and by the Germans over the French in the Champagne region of France, are recorded in the latest British and French official communications.

British cavalry have captured the villages of Villers-Saucon and Saulcourt, lying a few miles north of Roisel, and are virtually astride the St. Quentin-Cambrai road, says the British war office, which adds that additional terrain has been taken from the Germans south and west of Croisilles, despite the strong resistance of the Germans. The German war office, however, takes issue with the latter statement, asserting that the fighting near Croisilles was in favor of the Germans.

The activity on the part of the line held by the French west and south of St. Quentin is mainly by the artillery wings of the opposing forces. South of St. Quentin, between Essigny and Benay, a fierce artillery duel is in progress. No infantry action has been fought.

In Champagne the Germans, after a violent bombardment, attacked the positions held by General Nivelle's troops west of Maisons de Champagne and succeeded in penetrating elements of the French first line trenches. Sanguinary losses were inflicted on the Germans, however, during unsuccessful efforts they made to capture the village of Maisons de Champagne, says the Paris war office.

An early spring thaw on the Russian front, from the Baltic sea to the Carpathians, has rendered impossible for the present any attacks in force by the Germans against the Russians. This seemingly puts at nought, for the time being at least, the reported intentions of the Germans to attempt to force their way from the Riga region toward Petrograd. Minor operations are in progress, however.

In Rumania fighting continues in the Uzul valley region. Here the Germans have captured from the Russians a strongly entrenched ridge and held it despite numerous counter attacks, according to Berlin. One hundred prisoners and machine guns and mine throwers fell into the hands of the Germans. Bombardments are in progress along the entire Austro-Italian line, being especially violent in the east between the Frigido valley and the northern edge of the Carso plateau.

An attack by the Teutonic allies west of Monastir launched after a violent bombardment, was put down by the French barrage fire.

The new Russian government will be recognized by Japan.

Approves "Bone Dry" Law.

Concord, N. H., March 28. — The lower branch of the legislature today gave its final approval to a bill forbidding the manufacture or sale of liquor in the state. The bill now goes to the senate.

WORKMEN PREVENT STRIKE

Russians Displaying Patriotism Unknown Before the Big Revolt.

Petrograd, Russia, March 28, via London, England.—The factory workmen have reversed the usual order and prevented a strike threatened by the "bosses" who had been deposed or had had their authority curtailed as the result of the new liberty and equality. In a certain munitions factory the disgruntled administration seeing their old berths slipping from their grasp decided to declare the factory on strike but the workmen, inspired by the appeals of the new government for the support, refused to walk out. On the contrary they insisted that the foreman directing the engineers should begin work with them at daybreak and put in an equal number of hours.

A patriotic spirit appears to have gripped the workmen quite generally.

PARTY LINES ARE DOWN FOR CONGRESS' ACTION

LITTLE SENTIMENT IN FAVOR OF BI-PARTISAN ORGANIZATION

Washington, D. C., March 28. — House leaders, Democrats and Republicans, began conferences today to pave the way for quick action on appropriation bills and legislation bearing on the international crisis, regardless of which party organizes the house when the extra session begins Monday.

Speaker Clark, Democratic Leader Kitchin, Republican Leader Mann and Representative Fitzgerald agreed tentatively that the big appropriation bills which failed at the last session should be reintroduced in the form in which they originally passed the house, acted upon without delay, under a suspension of the rules, and sent to the senate. They also agreed that should either party organize the house the minority representation on all committees should be raised several members.

Democratic members of the ways and means committee of the last congress who will serve in the incoming congress conferred on committee assignment for their party, confident that, as heretofore, their caucus will name them to make the selections. The meeting was executive, but it was understood an agreement was reached to reassign all committee chairmen of the last congress who will serve in the coming congress and advance most of the Democratic ranking members to chairmanships.

Democratic leaders continued today to express confidence that the dissatisfied elements in their party would make no serious objections to the committee designations, but all of them are awaiting the coming of Representative Gallivan of Massachusetts before they will say finally that the anti-prohibitionists will not cause some trouble. Representative Gallivan is credited with controlling 20 or more votes. Representative Caldwell of New York, who has been classed as an insurgent, reached here today and promptly declared that he would be regular.

Save for a statement by Mr. Mann that he expected to see tickets placed in the field by both parties, it was quiet in Republican circles. Mr. Mann declared that while he still believed a coalition organization of the house would be the wise and patriotic move, he was willing to be, and expected to be, the regular Republican candidate for speaker if one was named.

Some members professed to see a possibility of Representative Lenroot of Wisconsin, who has publicly opposed the Mann coalition plan, being nominated as the Republican candidate for speaker. Representative Hill of Connecticut, the veteran Republican tariff expert, who has been ill, declared he would be in his seat next Monday. He expressed disapproval of the coalition organization plan.

Representative Fitzgerald of New York, Democrat, also declared emphatically against any bi-partisan agreement.

Food Question In Germany.

London, England, March 28.—A dispatch to Reuters from Amsterdam says:

"According to the Dutch newspapers the food question in Germany was again discussed by the Reichstag committee today. Adolph Von Batocki, president of the food regulation board, gave a detailed statement of the available supplies, and expressly declared that the seizure of all stocks of foodstuffs in the country was imperative. He intimated the possibility of the abolition of meatless days and said a state contribution would be made toward increased prices at the rate of 75 pfennings for the wealthy and 90 pfennings for the poorer communities per capita weekly."

Site for Armor Plate Plant.

Washington, D. C., March 28.—After a conference today with Rear Admiral Fletcher, chairman of the site inspection board, Secretary Daniels said he would announce next week the selection of a site for the naval armor plate and projectile factory. Reports that the selection already had been made were declared untrue.

The secretary probably will ask congress at the special session for an addition to the $11,000,000 appropriated for the armor factory because of increased prices of material. Construction work on both plants will begin as soon as possible.

ENGLAND SEES SUFFRAGE GAIN

Commons Approve Recommendations for Franchise Reforms

NOT MUCH OPPOSITION

Views Expressed By Former Opponents of Suffrage Will Influence Many Others

London, England, March 28.—After an interesting debate today the house of commons, by a majority of 279, expressed approval of legislation on the lines of the speakers conference recommendations for franchise reform. The small minority against such a measure represented not the actual opponents of reform but rather members who were desirous of postponing legislation of such a contentious character until after the war.

The great feature of the debate was the frank acceptance by ex-Premier Asquith and Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchecquor, of woman's rights to vote as a result of their war sacrifices and services, and Premier Lloyd George's whole hearted acceptance of the conference recommendations, except proportional representation. He was even willing to go still further and make the qualifying period three instead of six months.

A small party in the commons during the course of the debate expressed their continued firm opposition to woman suffrage but their numbers were too small to carry great weight. The Nationalists announced that they would support Mr. Asquith's motion.

As a result of the debate, the government, as Mr. Bonar Law announced, will proceed with legislation to give effect to the recommendations of the conference. The bill will embody all of the recommendations except proportional representation and woman suffrage. These will be admitted first because the government is undecided on the question, and second, because it is held that parliament must first of all express acceptance of the reciprocal of woman suffrage.

The present idea is to make the bill as little contentious as possible so that the second reading may be easily secured, then, in committee, these two excepted questions may be raised as amendments to the bill.

It cannot be doubted that the views expressed to day by Mr. Asquith, Walter Hume Long and other prominent former opponents of woman suffrage will influence many other opposing members, and in any case during the war this opposition has been a rapidly dwindling one. It is still possible that the women may have to wait until after the war for the fullest recognition of their claims but votes for women in some shape is now certain.

The new bill will not be introduced until some considerable time after Easter, as the budget and other business claim priority.

SWIFT MOBILIZATION NATION'S LABOR POWER

MEN WILL BE SUPPLIED FOR ALL BRANCHES OF WORK

Washington, D. C., March 28.—Mobilization of labor for government service in event of war with Germany was planned today at a conference of officials and labor leaders in the office of Secretary Wilson. Means were outlined and agreed upon for making readily available enough workingmen to insure operation of government shipyards and arsenals and of plants working on government contracts.

Officials, profiting by the experience of England, are determined that if the country takes an active part in the European war it shall not be embarrassed by labor troubles and inability to obtain skilled and unskilled workers.

The American Federation of Labor which has pledged its membership to the support of the government was represented by its president, Samuel Gompers. Through the federation the government expects to get its supply of trained workmen.

"The purposes of the conference," said Secretary Wilson, after the meeting, "were to find ways and means to prevent overlapping of efforts in mobilizing the resources of industries for the support of the government. We are planning to work together first to find where help, male and female, can be quickly located for the navyyards, arsenals and for other factories of the government and for any private plants working on supplies of the government; second, to ascertain the fitness of any offered workers and where they best can be employed, and third, to smooth their way to the work where they are needed. In doing this we are working to avoid duplication of effort and to save time."

Many Ships Still Sailing.

London, England, March 28.—During the week ending March 25, 2,314 ships of over 100 tons net arrived at ports in the United Kingdom, according to an official statement issued tonight. During the same period 2,433 vessels of over 100 tons net sailed from ports in the United Kingdom. These figures are exclusive of fishing vessels and local shipping.

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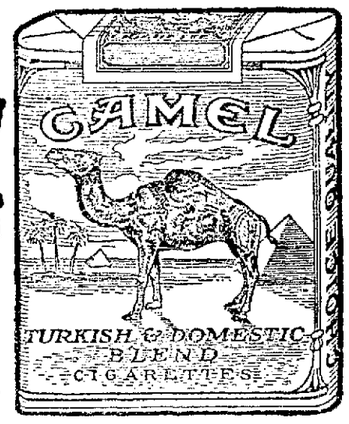

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DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

FIRE ON RIVER STREET.

Tenement House of S. I. Brown at Stamford Badly Damaged.

Stamford, March 28.—The fire alarm at 8:40 o'clock Monday night called the department to a fire in S. I. Brown's tenement house on River street, occupied by William Roach. The fire was in the second story of the building, having evidently caught from the chimney and two streams of water were used in extinguishing the blaze and protecting adjoining buildings. The top of the building was badly damaged by fire and water. A heavy wind was blowing and made it more difficult to fight the flames. The building was insured in W. H. McAlpine's agency. Mr. Roach lost a large part of his household furnishings and a subscription paper is being circulated for his benefit. About $40 has been subscribed.

Opens Music Store.

Arthur Vaubel of New York city has opened a music store in the E. L. Seeley store building, Main street.

To Build Coal Bins.

A. G. Hume is making preparations to build new coal pockets near the U. & D. railroad station. The bins will be larger to give increased storage room for coal.

Death of Lucy A. Baldwin.

Mrs. Lucy A. Baldwin, a respected resident of Harpersfield, died at her home in that town Saturday afternoon, March 24, aged 81 years and seven months. She is survived by her husband and one brother, A. M. Warner of Stamford. The funeral was held at Harpersfield Tuesday afternoon. Interment in Stevens cemetery.

Riseley-Martin.

Miss Mary Rebecca Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William N. Martin of 142 Main street, Kingston, was married Monday, March 26, by the Rev. J. L. Leeper to William Riseley of Stamford. Both the young people have a large circle of friends in Kingston. Mr. Riseley is associated with Judge J. P. Grant in the practice of law in Stamford and the newly wedded couple plan to reside here on their return from their wedding trip.

Meeting of Village Trustees.

The new board of village trustees held a meeting Monday night. A. S. Chambers was re-elected village clerk, Dr. H. P. Hubbell was appointed village health officer and W. S. Grant was re-appointed sewer commissioner. The roadway on South street and Railroad avenue needs re-surfacing and the board expects to arrange for the work this spring.

Birthday Surprise Party.

About 50 members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church with their husbands made Mrs. William Canfield a pleasant birthday surprise party at her home on Main street Monday evening. Mrs. Canfield was presented with a fine cut glass dish in honor of the occasion. Light refreshments were served and all present had an enjoyable time.

Items of Interest.

Dr. William H. Wheeler has sold his Harpersfield farm to Mrs. Ferris of New York. Possession April 1. — Houses to rent are in great demand.— A. J. Chichester has received his new Ford auto delivery truck purchased some time ago. — Charles N. Wright of New York, who purchased the Cold Spring house in this village, has changed the name of that well known summer hotel. It is now called "Cold Spring Farm inn." — Professor Gardenier, former principal of Stamford seminary, who has been stopping at Hotel Hamilton for some time, returned to Albany Saturday.

DEATH OF WILLIAM MITCHELD

Former Meredith Resident, Occurs at Late Home Near Newton, Kansas.

Meredith, March 28. — William Mitchell, a former resident of the Irish Hill section of the town of Meredith, died last week at his home near Newton, Kan., aged about 92 years. He was a pioneer settler of that part of Kansas, having removed there from this county in 1871 with his children, of whom six, all residents of Kansas, survive him. His wife, who was Margaret Craig of Meredith, died before the family went west.

Exploring for the State Road.

Road workmen with snow plow and other implements for excavating are trying to penetrate the huge snowdrifts which for weeks have concealed the Meredith-Delhi state road on the hill beyond "Hill Top Camp." It is hoped to soon have the highway in condition for motor vehicles.

More Building in Prospect.

The rebuilding of the Meridale inn, which is now going on, will, it is authoritatively stated, be followed by more building operations here by Ayer & McKinney. A cottage and a large building for an amusement hall and servants' quarters are to be built. The work will keep Meridale and vicinity carpenters and decorators busy until well into the summer.

NORTH KORTRIGHT NEWS.

Rev. R. R. Irwin Delivers Masterful Discourse on Prodigal Son.

North Kortright, March 28. — Rev. R. R. Irwin's sermon last sabbath was a masterful exposition of the logical sequence of sin, as illustrated by the parable of the prodigal son. The first step, he declared, was the desire for bad freedom, freedom from the restraint of a kind and loving father; then the premature and peremptory demand for the inheritance that in due time would have been the son's portion; next was the going into a far country, away from the restraining influence of a good home, and finally the wasting of the young man's substance. The pastor drew practical lessons from the theme, especially helpful to the young.

Good Sap Weather.

The past week has been fine sap weather and several good runs have been secured. New maple syrup is again on the market and in great demand for pancakes.

Horse Drops Dead.

A horse owned by S. J. Bright of Kortright, one recently purchased from the Perry Shaw estate, dropped dead in the woods, while being driven by Clark Bright one day last week. This is the second horse that Mr. Bright has lost this season. The other died on the road while drawing a load of feed from Kortright station.

Child Recovering.

The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett VanDusen has been seriously ill of stomach trouble, but seems now to be on the way toward recovery.

Will Enlarge Store.

On account of increasing business, requiring more storage room, N. P. Nichols anticipates enlarging and remodeling his store and dwelling house during the coming season.

Buys Horse.

J. A. Hendry has bought of John Wood the horse formerly owned by the late J. Harper Douglass.

Play Postponed.

The play, "The Old Peabody Pew," will not be presented now until after "sugaring" is done.

Patients Convalescing.

Most encouraging reports are received from Mrs. J. R. Henderson and from Mrs. Hamilton Russell, both of whom recently underwent surgical operations. The latter's niece, Miss Edna Adair, expects to be with her aunt this week at Dr. Brinkman's, Oneonta.

LATEST SIDNEY NEWS.

Miss Seymour Pleasantly surprised By Forty of Her School Children.

Sidney, March 28.—Yesterday afternoon after school had closed, about 40 of the pupils of the sixth grade of the Sidney school gathered at the Boston Candy Kitchen to give a surprise party to their teacher, Miss Georgianna Seymour. It was a complete surprise. Miss Seymour was invited into the refreshment parlor and found her pupils seated at the tables. In the center was a large cake decorated with candles, one for each year of her life. Ice cream and cake was served and a delightful hour enjoyed. Miss Seymour was presented with a beautiful fern as a future reminder of the happy occasion.

Funeral of Mrs. Salsbury.

The remains of Mrs. Catherine Salsbury, whose death occurred at Norwich Tuesday, arrived in Sidney this evening and funeral services will be held at the home of her son, J. D. Salsbury, Smith street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. O. T. Fletcher of the Congregational church will officiate. Her age was 89 years. Interment will be in Prospect Hill cemetery. She is survived by three daughters and two sons as follows: Mrs. J. H. Harder and Mrs. Edward Ostrander of Gloversville and Mrs. J. H. Cornell of Afton, R. W. Salsbury of Sanford and J. D. Salsbury of Sidney.

Dewitt Skinner a Suicide.

Dewitt Skinner, single, aged 24 years, a farmer residing at Readburn, near Rock Rift, committed suicide yesterday morning by hanging. He and a brother lived alone on a small farm and the brother discovered his lifeless body hanging from a rafter in the upper part of the house suspended by a harness rein. Coroner R. H. Loomis of this village was called but as he was unable to hold an inquest he deputized Dr. S. C. Gould to attend to the matter, which was done yesterday forenoon. No reason was assigned for the act.

Appointments Made.

At the close of school today noon, Prof. H. G. Preston met the members of the senior class and made the following appointments: Gladys Hilborn, valedictorian, Perl Baker, salutatorian; also that Harold McCarty deserved honorable mention as his percentage in Regents' was but a fraction below that of Miss Baker's. Harold McCarty was announced as class historian; Miss Agnes Phelps, prophet; Miss Carrie Blowers to write the class will. The president of the class is Charles Aussiker. There will be about 12 members of the class to take part in the graduation exercises in June. The class is undecided as to whether they will take the annual Easter trip to Washington or not. The Walton and Delhi classes have decided not to go.

Taken to Binghamton Hospital.

Robert Silliman, a well known young man of Walton, was in Sidney today, accompanied by two attendants from the State hospital at Binghamton, who were taking Silliman to the institution for treatment. He had been acting queerly for some time and lately had a passion for hugging ladies whom he met on the street.

Funeral of Mrs. Schermerhorn.

The funeral of Mrs. E. L. Schermerhorn, whose sudden death was mentioned in the Star of Tuesday, will be held from her late home Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. William Barnfather of the Baptist church will officiate. The remains will be taken to South Edmeston, the former home of the family, for burial, leaving on the 11:30 train.

Patriotic Demonstration Monday.

As it is expected that Congress will declare war against German at its session next Monday, Village President B. E. Pudney has issued a call for a patriotic demonstration to be held at the noon hour on that day. The school children will take part and march to the front of the Hote' DeCumber where the meeting will be held. Patriotic addresses will be made from the porch of the hotel and the services will include a salute to the flag. The fire department have been invited to participate.

Death of George Hall.

Sidney people were grieved to learn of the death of George Hall, a native of Sidney and with the exception of a brief period spent in the west, a resident of this village. His death occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Powell, at Olean, where he went eight weeks ago to enter a

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SUFFERING CATS! GIVE THIS MAN THE GOLD MEDAL

Let folks step on your feet hereafter; wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this Cincinnati authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out.

This drug is a sticky ether compound, but dries at once and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue.

It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce of freezone obtained at any drug store will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Cut this out, especially if you are a woman reader who wears high heels.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Markets.

New York, March 28.—Traders were again in control of the market today, public participation or interest being almost negligible.

Dealings were relatively light, but broad as to the number of issues which changed hands. The operations of pools and speculative interests were again discernable in stocks which have yet to establish potential values.

New high records were scored by Ohio Gas which rose 5¾ to 135 and Wilson Packing, which made an extreme advance of 6½ to 78½. Munitions, equipments and the customary war contract issues were firm to strong, the leader of those groups being Driggs-Seabury at an advance of 16 points to 82½.

U. S. Steel and Bethlehem Steel were temporarily higher by one to two points with related shares. Motors, sugars, oils and leathers recorded irregular gains of one to three points.

Rails were under partial restraint during the forenoon but came into prominence later, rising two to four points.

New York Produce.

Butter — Very firm. Receipts, 5,158 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 44@44½; extras, 92 score, 43½; firsts, 40@43½; firsts, 39@44; seconds 47@49½.

Eggs — Firm. Receipts, 30,198 cases. Fresh gathered extra fine, 34@34½; extra first 34½@34½; firsts 32½@33; storage packed firsts, 33½; seconds and lower grades, 31@32; state and nearby western hennery whites fine to fancy, 37@38; state and nearby hennery browns, 34@35.

Cheese — Unsettled. Receipts, 2,196 boxes. State held specials, 27@27½; do average fancy, 26½@27.

Poultry — Dressed, firm. Chickens 19@29; fowls, 18½@24; turkeys, 18@34.

New York Meats.

Beeves — Receipts, 2,150 head. Market steady. Steers, $8.75@12.00; bulls $7.00@10.25; cows, $4.10@8.85.

Calves — Receipts, 1,920 head. Market higher. Veals, $12.00@15.75; culls $9.00@11.00; skim milk and fed, $8.00@11.00; Indiana, $7.00@9.00.

Sheep and Lambs — Receipts, 1,180 head. Market steady. Sheep ewes $7.00@12.00; lambs, $13.00@15.75.

Hogs — Receipts, 5,470 head. Market steady at $14.00@15.25; pigs, $13.00; roughs, $13.50.

ONEONTA MARKET.

Prices Paid Producers.

Butter, fresh dairy	38@39
Butter, creamery	40@41
Eggs, fresh laid, dozen	27
Cheese, lb.	25
Potatoes	$1.90
Live poultry	20
Spring Chickens	20
Dressed hogs	12@16
Dressed beef	10@11
Veal, grain fed	12@13
Veal, sweet milk calves	14@15

Grain and Feeds.

(Prices Charged at Retail).

Salt, barrel	$2.05
Corn	$1.37
Corn meal, cwt.	$2.58
Oats	62
Spring wheat middlings	$2.25
Winter wheat middlings	$2.45
Hominy	$2.45

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PERFORMANCES 2:15-7:15-9:00 ADMISSION 10c

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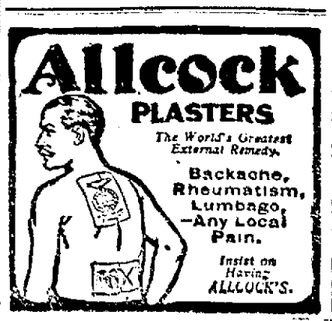
Manufacturers of Structural Steel, Stairs, Fire Escapes, Fences, Grill Work and all Iron Work for Buildings.



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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

CHRONICLED IN MORRIS.

Andrew Daniels Buys Forty-Acre Poultry Farm at Holmesville.

Morris, March 28.—Andrew Daniels, who has been living and working with Frank Miller on his farm below this village, has bought the poultry farm of 40 acres at Holmesville of Legrand Harris and will take possession the first of April. Mr. Daniels is an expert at poultry raising and will make good. He expects to have about 2,000 hens on the farm, which will keep him busy most of the time. His many friends here wish him the best of success.

Undergoes a Surgical Operation.

Mrs. Lavina Lewis of this village underwent a surgical operation at the Homeopathic hospital at Utica last Saturday, and is reported doing nicely. Her many friends here hope for her speedy recovery and return home in improved health.

A. H. Tillson Moves to Oneonta.

Their many friends in Morris and vicinity are sorry to have Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tillson leave their farm home near Maple Grove. They will take possession of their new home at Oneonta Plains April 1. The farm at Maple Grove will be run by their son, Paul, who has engaged a man and his family to live in the house and help him on the farm.

Bought Out a Grocery Business.

The Gage Brothers of this place have bought out the grocery business of A. O. Barnes at Gilbertsville and Charles Gage and wife are down there for the present. It will be conducted as a branch of the Morris store and will carry a full line of their bakery goods and a large line of groceries. The Gages are hustlers and keep something going most of the time. We hate to have Charles and his wife leave town and hope it will not be permanent.

The Baraca-Philathea Banquet.

The annual banquet given by the Baraca-Philathea societies of the Baptist church was held last Friday evening, and despite the stormy weather about 75 people were present. The room was decorated in a very attractive manner and the tables were arranged in the form of a cross in the center of which stood a model of a church surrounded with trees and lights streaming from its windows. The banquet was served by the ladies of the church and was a very dainty one. Following the supper the topic of the evening, "The Church," was discussed by 12 responses to toasts. The toastmaster in a very genial manner called on each one and they were all very interesting to hear. Letters were received by former members from out of town and were read during the evening.

Localets.

The pupils of the Morris High school are preparing a play to be given some time next month. — Mrs. George Whitman visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Barber, in New York last week. — Andrew Benjamin, who runs the Elm Grove factory above Morris village with his son, is in very poor health and confined to his bed. — Miss Vivian Curtis is in Unadilla for a few weeks. —Mrs. E. E. Carr of this town visited her son, George, and wife in Oneonta recently.

SCHENEVUS SIFTINGS.

High School Basketball Team Closes Season, Having Made Good Showing.

Schenevus, March 28. — The High school basketball team closed their season Friday evening last at Cobleskill, where they met defeat at the hands of the fast High school team of that place. The boys have made a creditable showing, considering the fact that the team was composed entirely of unexperienced men, that they have come up against some of the fastest teams in this vicinity, and that the local court, while answering the purpose, was not at all satisfactory on account of its size, the boys having been seriously handicapped when on larger courts away from home.

The following summary of games is submitted: Games won—Worcester H. S. 2, East Worcester H. S. 1, Normal Juniors 1, Schenevus town team, 2. Games lost—Oneonta H. S., second team, 2, Worcester town team 1, Cobleskill H. S. 2.

A series of games between two teams, one representing the freshmen and juniors and the other the sophomores and seniors, will be played this week to decide the High school championship.

The receipts at the door for the games played on the local court were sufficient to pay for all expenses incurred in fitting up the court, buying suits, and ball, and in fact all expenses in connection with maintaining the team.

Training of the baseball squad has commenced and it is hoped a strong nine will be produced to represent the High school on the diamond.

Final Effort This Evening.

The seniors make their final effort to secure funds for the Washington trip Thursday evening, when Rev. W. H. Thomas of Portlandville will deliver an illustrated lecture on "Gettysburg," at Chase & Bennett's hall under their auspices. Following the lecture Hiller's orchestra of Cobleskill will furnish music for dancing, from 9 to 1.

Prof. Hardy has purchased the tickets and made reservations for the class, which will leave on its trip on the morning of April 5, arriving in Washington the Saturday morning following. Four and one-half days will be spent in Washington. Prof. and Mrs. Hardy will chaperon the party.

Real Estate Transfers.

W. B. Wigley has purchased the property of the late Samuel Green, located on Division street, now occupied by Mr. Wentworth and family, consisting of a house and lot. This is a desirable piece of property, pleasantly located.

Mrs. Rosa Bliven will move into her house on Upper Main street, now occupied by E. W. Scott and family, about April 1. Mrs. Bliven contemplates making extensive repairs.

Woman's Club Elects Officers.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's club, held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. R. G. Condon, the annual election was held, and the following officers chosen: President, Miss Nellie A. Noonan; vice president, Mrs. E. F. Theyson; secretary, Mrs. J. H. Wild; treasurer, Mrs. R. V. Tillapaugh.

Following the election an old fashioned spelling match was held. This was the last meeting of the present season, no further meetings to be held until October.

Special Services Sunday.

Palm Sunday, April 1, will be observed at the Methodist church with services appropriate to the season. Special music by the choir, with sermon on the theme of the day, at the morning worship.

In the evening a program by the male quartet will be rendered. At this time the pastor will begin a series of addresses on Immortality, which he will continue through the Passion week services to be held each evening during the week of April 1. These services are designed to be preparatory to Easter.

Easter at the Churches.

Easter Sunday will be observed in the local churches by services appropriate to the day. There will also be special music by the choirs and other attractive features. Further and more particular notice of these services will appear at a later date.

New Resolution Passed.

The board of education, at a recent meeting passed the following resolution, which parents are requested to note:

"Resolved that no pupils be allowed to enter or attend the primary department in the Schenevus High school until the beginning of the fall term in September in each year after the pupil has arrived at the age of five years."

Personal Mention.

Earl Davis, a student in the Mt. Pleasant academy at Ossining, is spending the Easter vacation with Mrs. Victoria Whiteford. — Miss Florence MacMullen of New York city spent Tuesday calling on friends in town. — Paul Sibley of Utica, a former Schenevus boy, was in town over the week-end, visiting friends. — Hon. C. C. Flaesch of Unadilla was a business caller in town Monday.— About 15 members of the local lodge of Odd Fellows attended the conference in Oneonta Wednesday.

WAFTED FROM WORCESTER.

Borden Co. Announce New Milk Prices After Conference With Dairymen.

Worcester, March 28.—As a result of the conference between representatives of the milk dealers of New York city and the Dairymen's league, the farmers of this vicinity will be paid the following prices for their milk for the next six months by the Bordens here:

April milk, $1.95 per 100 pounds; May milk, $1.90 per 100 pounds; June milk, $1.80 per 100 pounds; July milk, $2.00 per 100 pounds; August, $2.15 per 100 pounds; September, $2.45 per 100 pounds.

These prices are based upon three per cent milk and an additional 3½ cents per each one per cent rise in test will be paid. At this rate the dairyman whose milk tests four per cent will receive an average for these months a trifle over five cents per quart.

Wedding Announcement Received.

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Edith M. Johnson to Oscar J. Moir at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on March 21, has been received here by the bride's uncle, James Johnson, sr. and Mrs. Moir will reside at Shelby, Iowa. Relatives and others may recall that the bride with her father spent the summer in this vicinity a few years ago.

New Residents Arrive.

The parties who purchased the Peter Ritton farm and Asa Chase farm recently, Messrs. E. H. Schoeller of New Jersey and John McCarthy of Wayland, have arrived with their goods and taken possession of their properties.

Hunt Farm Leased.

The Hunt farm on West Hill has been leased to Peter V. Ritton, and Edwin Hunt and infant daughter will make their home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hunt, in this village.

Funeral of D. O. Pickett.

Daniel O. Pickett, who has been in failing health at the home of his sister, Mrs. John VanWagner, for the past few years, died last Friday, aged 74 years. He was a native of the town of Jefferson and had spent practically his whole life in this vicinity.

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SICK CHILDREN LOVE CASCARETS FOR THE BOWELS

Give "Candy Cathartic" for a cold, sour stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Most of the ills of childhood are caused by a sour, disordered stomach, sluggish liver and constipated bowels. They catch cold easily, become cross, listless, irritable, feverish, restless, tongue coated, don't eat or sleep well and need a gentle cleansing of the bowels—but don't try to force a nauseating dose of oil into the little one's already sick stomach—it is cruel, needless and old-fashioned.

Any child will gladly take Cascarets Candy Cathartic which act gently—never gripe or produce the slightest uneasiness—though cleanse the little one's system, sweeten the stomach and put the liver and bowels in a pure, healthy condition.

Full directions for children and grown-ups in each package.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this gentle, thorough laxative which costs only 10 cents a box at any drug store.

STATE SPELLING BEE.

Preliminary County Contest to Be Held in Oneonta June 12.

Announcement is made of a State Fair Spelling Bee to be held at the grange hall at the state fair grounds at Syracuse during the week of the state fair, September 10-15, and of a preliminary county contest in Otsego, an elimination contest to decide who shall represent Otsego county in the State contest to be held at the High school building in this city June 12, at 1:30 p. m. The committee in charge of the county affair is composed of John E. Frederick, representing the district superintendents, Dr. George J. Dann, city superintendent, and Prof. Wilbur H. Lynch of the Normal training school. The regulations for the county contest are substantially that each town shall be represented by one contestant, the city of Oneonta and the State Normal training school by two contestants. The matter of selecting the town representatives is left to the district superintendents. A special list of 5,000 words is to be prepared from which the words used are to be taken.

To the pupil winning the county contest a certificate of proficiency in spelling will be given bearing the seal of the state. The State Fair commission will pay the railroad fare of each county representative to and from Syracuse and admission tickets to the grounds. To the first four winners in the state contest prizes of $20, $15, $10 and $5 will be awarded.

We want potatoes. If you have them before you sell come and see us. Parish & Keenan, 6 Broad street, Oneonta. advt tf

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No. 73.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW York, To Mary Smith [illegible], widow, residence unknown:

Upon the petition of Bertha Gardner, general guardian of the three infant children of the deceased, residing at Oneonta, N. Y., you are hereby cited to show cause before the surrogate's court of Otsego county at the surrogate's office in the village of Cooperstown, county of Otsego, on the sixteenth day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why letters of administration should not be granted to the petitioner.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of our said Surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, Shirley L. Huntington esq., surrogate of the county of Otsego, [L.S.] at said surrogate's office in Cooperstown, N. Y., this twentieth day of March, 1917.

S. L. HUNTINGTON, Surrogate.

J. LEE TUCKER ESQ., Attorney for Petitioner, Office and P. O. Address, Oneonta, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Leland M. Cowles, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Frances A. Parce, deceased, late of the town of Laurens, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executor of the estate of the said deceased, at the law office of Owen C. Becker, esq., [illegible] in the city of Oneonta in said county, on or before the seventeenth day of June, next.

Dated, December 7, 1916.

DWIGHT A. PARCE, Executor.

GIRLS! THICKEN AND BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR

Bring back its gloss, lustre, charm and get rid of dandruff.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be [illegible] beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

State of New York, office of the state commissioner of highways, Albany, N. Y.

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 30, laws of 1909, as amended by chapter 646, laws of 1911, and chapter 80, laws of 1913, sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at their office, No. 55 Lancaster street, Albany, N. Y., at 1 o'clock p. m., on Monday, the ninth day of April, 1917, for the repair of the following highways:

OTSEGO COUNTY.

Repair contract No. 1029. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No., 315; name, Morris-Gilbertsville, Part 1.

Repair contract No. 1029. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 677; name, Edmeston-West Burlington-Kelsey Corners.

Repair contract No. 1029. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 678; name, Morris Gilbertsville, Part 2.

Repair contract No. 1029. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 751; name, Gilbertsville village.

Repair contract No. 1029. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 934; name, East Springfield, Cherry Valley.

Repair contract No. 1029. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 1303; name, Unadilla Forks-Bridgewater.

Also on Wednesday, the eleventh day of April, 1917.

Repair Contract No. 1059. Class of work, Bit. Mat. A. heavy surface treatment; road No. 162; name, Oneonta.

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Repair Contract No. 1059. Class of work, Bit. Mat. A. heavy surface treatment; road No. 310; name, Colliersville-Emmons.

Repair Contract No. 1059. Class of work, Bit. Mat. A. heavy surface treatment; road No. 708; name, Sidney-Unadilla.

Repair Contract No. 1059. Class of work, Bit. Mat. A. heavy surface treatment; road No. 754; name, Cooperstown-Three Mile Point.

Also on Friday, the thirteenth day of April, 1917.

Repair contract No. 1031. Class of work, three inch waterbound macadam with tar cold applied resurfacing (no guarantee) road No. 219; name, Richfield Springs-Cherry Valley.

OTSEGO AND DELAWARE COUNTIES.

Repair Contract No. 1030. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 936; name, Schenevus-Westford, Part 2.

Repair Contract No. 1030. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 5240; name, Colliers-Maryland.

Repair Contract No. 1030. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 5247; name, Schenevus-Schoharie County Line.

Repair Contract No. 1030. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 5455; name, Davenport Center-Oneonta.

Repair Contract No. 1030. Class of work, light cold oil, light hot oil and tar cold applied surface treatment; road No. 5443; name, Harpersfield-Davenport Center.

Maps, plans, specifications and estimates may be seen and proposal forms obtained at the office of the commission in Albany, N. Y., and also at the office of Division Engineer Howard E. Smith, 901 Press Bldg., Binghamton, N. Y.

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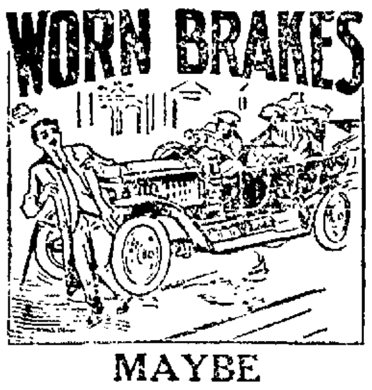

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Philadelphia, Pa. Victims of eye strain and other eye weaknesses, and those who wear glasses, will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope and help for them. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored by this remarkable prescription and many who once wore glasses say they have thrown them away. One man says, after using it: "I was almost blind. Could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without my glasses and my eyes do not hurt any more. At night they would pain dreadfully. Now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me.' A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for 15 days everything seems clear. I can read even fine print without glasses." Another who used it says: "I was bothered with eye strain caused by overworked, tired eyes which induced fierce headaches. I have worn glasses for several years both for distance and work, and without them I could not read my own name on an envelope or the typewriting on the machine before me. I can do both now and have discarded my long distance glasses altogether. I can count the fluttering leaves on the trees across the street now, which for several years have looked like a dim green blur to me. I cannot express my joy at what it has done for me."

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EVERYBODY DOING HIS BIT.

In the early days of the great war—a name which despite comparisons with wars past and conflicts which later may come it is likely always to keep—there was a quite current belief in England that the principal contribution which it would be necessary for Great Britain to make to the contest was a monetary one. The other powers, it was believed, would be able to do the larger part of the fighting, England would furnish the financial sinews and, as a British general or statesman phrased it, would "do most of her fighting with a silver bullet."

Much has happened in the way of warfare since the midsummer days of 1914, and perhaps there is much more to happen before the conflict will end. Since then England has learned a lesson as to what co-operation really means; her men have gone forth by millions and her dead are lying beneath the sod of all battlefields. She has poured out her wealth like water, her factories have produced munitions alike for herself and her allies, and her own fields and largely those of her colonies are producing all that by culture it is possible for them to produce. Her women and children and her old men are also busy at such tasks as they are able, the women in many occupations taking the place of men, and doing the work well; and in short everybody is, as the old man tilling his scant breadth of cottage garden said, "doing his bit."

"Doing his bit," that is the whole secret of the situation. Because, since with German preparedness every man, woman and child in kaiserdom was ready to do his bit when the war broke out, it has been possible for Germany to hold her own against so many foes. Because the French, also, could do their bit, their republic has been able successfully to meet the strongest assaults. Because the English, though late, have arisen to the situation, the war becomes day by day more determined and more hopeless for the central powers.

What it took England long to learn, should be a quicker lesson for America, which has the whole history of the war before it. There is scarcely reason for hope any longer, no matter how much we desire it, that the United States can keep out of the war. Less than another week will probably see the country definitely aligned, and the war which is undertaken must be fought to the end. Among most of us there is the hope that the earlier belief of England may be true in our case — that so far at least as our soldiers are concerned they will not be called in large numbers if at all to engage on Europe's bloody field. Whether we are or not, it is none the less true that in the great war every American must do his bit.

There will be money to furnish, but after all money is not the only thing. There will be food to be provided, not alone for our own people but for those who will be our allies in the great war, and there will be munitions and clothing and all kinds of manufactured articles, and for the women of the land there will be for some of them the Red Cross; for others, other work for which preparation is being made, and for everybody something which will be of assistance.

Of general interest in this connection is the matter of foodstuffs. The aphorism of Napoleon that an army travels on its stomach is true also of nations, and the end of the conflict now being carried on is as likely to come through lack of food as of munitions; for not only soldiers must eat but so must their families at home; and when there is no food there can be no longer a stomach for battle. For this reason the recent movement for intensive cultivation is of importance. On every farm there should be an effort to grow more and larger crops, and wherever there is a garden plot in town or city there should be men who are ready to give it culture. It is a heartening thing to know, with war impending and with prices for all foodstuffs so high advanced, that the movement is taking hold upon the people. With culture enough there will be crops enough, not only for our own people but for the peoples of other nations at one with us, wherewith to supplement their own. Not all men are mechanics or artisans of any sort, not all can be soldiers even if the call comes, but all can and will do something; and it is upon this fact that confidence is chiefly imposed—that day be day, patiently, uncomplainingly, unselfishly, and with an eye to the salvation of the country and of the world, they will "do their bit."

Otsego Towns in Lead.

Buffalo, Troy, Elmira, Ithaca, Larchmont, Richfield Springs, Cold Springs and Roxbury have been officially declared winners of the Red Cross Seal pennants awarded by the State Charities' Aid association for the highest per capita sale of seals in eight classes of localities in New York state outside of Greater New York. Unadilla was second in class six and Cherry Valley in class sever

RIFLE PRACTICE UNDER WAY.

Company G Boys to Have Chance to Again Show Their Skill.

Garrison, March 28. — Rifle practice by the companies of the First regiment, New York infantry, National Guard, at the state camp at Peekskill, is now under way. Company M of Mohawk is the first unit to shoot the course and will be followed by Company G of Oneonta. Captain Parish is the range officer.

Company C of Watertown is relieving the different companies on the New York aqueduct as they are ordered to appear on the range at Peekskill. On the return of Company M to the sector entrusted to its care, Company C will occupy the posts of Company G at Peekskill Syphon, Sprout Brook and Garrison. This change will be made Saturday or Sunday, it is expected.

The members of Company G will march from their posts to the state camp. They will carry full field equipment. The men who are stationed at Garrison will follow the same line of march as that followed by the First regiment on the last leg of its journey from Camp Whitman to Peekskill last July. Lieutenant Jenks and his men and Sergeant Delaney and the Peekskill Syphon detachment will either join the command from Garrison under Lieutenant Belfield at Annsville or may march directly to the state camp.

More time for instruction on the range is being given than was the case last summer. There are 52 targets at the range available for use. The men enjoyed their experience on the range last fall and are anticipating a second opportunity to try their skill with the rifle there. The rain Tuesday delayed the instruction of Company M.

The detailing of Captain Parish as range officer at Peekskill has for the present taken him wholly away from his command. Lieutenant Belfield, who has commanded the detachment at the Peekskill Syphon has been transferred to the Garrison post, and he has been succeeded by Sergeant Thomas H. Delaney. Private Guy B. Fay, who has been on duty with Lieutenant Jenks at Sprout Brook, has been detailed as an orderly to Captain Parish.

The nine recruits who left Oneonta Sunday with Captain Parish are stationed at the Garrison post. They are being taught the first rudiments in the life of a soldier and later on will take their turn at guard duty on the aqueduct. The boys found a ready welcome at the post and none have been heard to complain of their lot. Private Karl Schermerhorn, one of the recruit party, left for his home at Sidney Tuesday, having been advised of the death of his mother. He will return Sunday.

A mascot has been adopted by the boys at the Garrison post. The acquisition is a young mastiff, full of play and a true soldier. He fares well and seems satisfied with his new home. He is out at the first assembly in the morning and never fails to accompany the men when they turn out for drill. He also walks post with the guards.

Three commissioned officers and 102 enlisted men now make up the personnel of Company G. Musician Walter G. Tallmadge and Private Vernon L. Roberts have been furloughed to the National Guard Reserve and have returned to their homes in Oneonta. The health of the men is good and with the coming of warm weather the greatest hardships of the present tour of service are passing. The men are becoming well seasoned to prevailing weather conditions. The snow is gone except on the higher peaks, and within a short time tents will be utilized.

Considerable reading matter has reached the different posts from friends at home. The men show their appreciation of the thoughtfulness of those who have remembered them by the use they are making of the magazines and papers. The Star brings the news of Oneonta and vicinity and is thoroughly appreciated. Letters from those at home top out the life of the Guardsman.

A Day in Camp.

Some ball game, eh?

Walt Tallmadge has left us.

Willis Dart is a real kitchen wonder.

Corporal Patten has his lucky days—and evenings, too.

The boys are wondering how much yellow paint is needed by the fellows at home.

Blonde Hartwell is good at various stunts, but finds hurdling in the dark rather painful.

Now that the boys have had all they want of Newburg and Peekskill, they are inclined toward New York.

And say, girls, by the way, if your father is in the monument business perhaps Private Oliver Lull would consider you.

Some of the recruits were busy getting the O. D. (olive drab) umbrellas together during the hard storm Tuesday. It is some task, too.

Private Johnnie Napper (acting corporal) addressing Lieutenant Belfield: "Sir! The cossack post is upside down." Some smiles rippled here and there and then Johnnie tumbled to the fact that it was the tent not the post.

Vern Roberts redeemed the quarters of Captain Parish at Garrison with his trusty trowel, refinishing the walls in expert style. We are certain the plaster will last much longer than the wooden plug Vern used to close up a hole in the furnace when he was the fireman at the post.

UTTER MAKES REPARATION.

Apologizes for Insult to American Flag in Presence of 2,000.

Norwich, March 28.—(Special).—Before 2,000 people Clarence Utter today apologized for tearing down the American flag from one of the public buildings of this city and hung a new flag in its place, an act which was wildly cheered. Extra police were on guard to prevent possible trouble.

ADVOCATING WILLITE PAVEMENT

Oneonta Citizens Becoming Interested and Some Stock Subscriptions.

Messrs. DeGraff and Smith of the Willite paving concern were in the city yesterday and during the afternoon held a lengthy conference with representative citizens relative to the pavement they represent and its superiority over any other yet devised. If all the claims made for this patented pavement which uses 85 per cent of local dirt with an admixture of asphalt and chemicals can be substantiated it affords a solution of the perplexing state highway problem. It is quite generally admitted that this work is experimental still and that much has to be expended from year to year in maintenance. This pavement which it is said can be constructed over the macadam now forming the highways at a cost of about $5,500 per mile and would make a road that the company would give a bond guaranteeing that it will require no repairs for at least five years and probably for 15 or more.

The men advocated its adoption for city streets. It is claimed that it is absolutely impervious to water and a sample of some size soaked in water for three days by J. G. Hoyt of the public works department of the city increased not a bit in weight during that period and was apparently non-absorbent.

The visitors also solicited subscriptions to the stock of the New York company and it is understood that several local gentlemen are strongly inclined to buying some of the stock which assuredly is convincing that they have confidence that the pavement is all that is claimed for it.

For the pavement of city streets the company offers after the road is graded to within three inches of the desired grade to roll the same and construct three inches of this pavement at 60 cents a square yard which is certainly cheaper than any other pavement upon the market. They will give a five year guarantee with a responsible bonding company and insist that it will not soften in the warmest days of summer nor give way to frost except such as comes from the freezing of the early below and that this will only cause it to bend and that it will settle back into its original place as good as before.

Whether or no the city will test the pavement this year is not known. It is stated, however, that the city's share of paving Maple street from Main to Center with this material would only be $1,200. By this process much of the maintenance expense would be saved if many of the resident streets could be paved with it.

No Place for Potatoes.

"Going to plant potatoes in your garden this year?" asked a Baltimore man of his friend, as reported in The American of that city. "I thought I would, but when I looked up the way to do it I found that potatoes had to be planted in hills, and our yard is perfectly flat."

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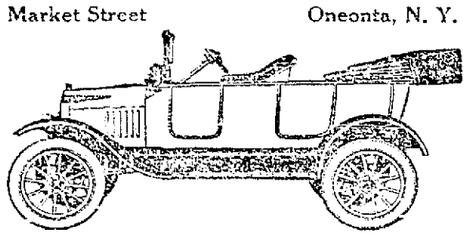

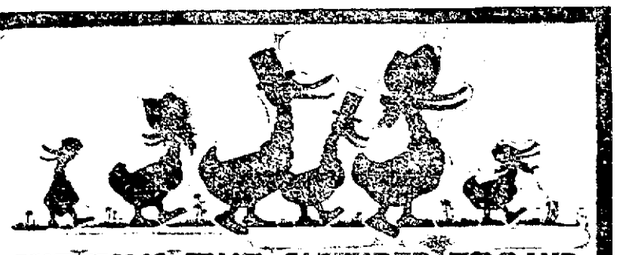

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LOCAL MENTION.

—A special meeting of Oneonta lodge, No. 1312, B. P. O. Elks, has been announced for Thursday night, March 29, at which time a large class of candidates will be initiated.

—The new street lights placed in various parts of the city by the Oneonta Light & Power company have attracted naught but favorable comment, as the streets thus treated are now far better illuminated than under the old arc system.

PATROL OF GIRL SCOUTS.

Instruct Girls on How They Can Serve Their Country.

There has recently been organized in the city a patrol of Girl Scouts, a similar organization to the Boy Scouts, designed to train girls of the country in how they can best serve their country, and they have the same book and the same laws and regulations as the Boy Scouts, and they are, it is said, doing much to train the girls in patriotic endeavor and in patriotism. The training is comprehensive and is designed to enable girls to be prepared to aid others in every way and be useful to society.

The Scout organization is non-sectarian and accepts girls of all faiths from ages of 10 to 17 years. This week the organization is endeavoring to recruit in all parts of the country. Any girl interested is invited to write or confer with Miss Ulrich of 17 Franklin street, an instructor in the High school, the captain of the local patrol.

It is hoped that the organization will have the support of all citizens, as the objects of the organization are most praiseworthy and should appeal to all.

Meetings Today.

St. James guild will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Capron, 11 Walnut street. Sewing for the Cooperstown orphanage.

The Social club of Chapin Memorial church will meet with Mrs. Lillian Pierce, 43 Spruce street, this evening. A full attendance is desired. Bring usual refreshments.

Special meeting Loyal Order of Moose this evening at 8 o'clock. Order Dictator T. E. Blanchard.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will be held in the church parlors this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. After the business meeting there will be a social afternoon at which time plans for work for the coming year will be considered. Also Red Cross work. Light refreshments will be served. Every lady of the congregation is urged to make a special effort to be present.

Meeting for D. & H. Men

A meeting of special interest for men at the shops will be held Friday noon of this week in the D. & H. machine shop under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. The Parsons brothers will have charge of the program which will consist largely of quartet selections with a brief address by Harlow Parsons. All men at the shops should plan to be present as the meeting will be attractive and profitable. Time, 12:30 o'clock.

Attention, G. A. R.

All members of E. D. Farmer post and veterans are requested to meet at G. A. R. hall tomorrow, Friday, at 1:30 p. m., to attend the funeral of our late comrade, E. H. Allen, at 17 Grand street. Wear white gloves and badges. W. H. Brown, commander; Amer Munson, adjutant.

Attention—I. G. Lovenstein, the practical, scientific optician and optometrist, is today at the house of E. B. Brown at 27 Pine street and remains there until and including Wednesday, April 4. All adjustments made by him are warranted to give perfect satisfaction. Remember the date. advt tf

At Your Own Price.

The balance of goods left from the sale will be closed out today. Everything must go. Curtains, draperies, writing desk, bed, set of springs, dresser, chairs and dishes can still be had. 8 Grove street, third floor. ad t 1t

Display of Easter Hats.

Splendid assemblage of choice hats to select from; all hats moderately priced. Miss Murtough's hat shop, second floor, Oneonta Department store, 159 Main street, Oneonta. advt 2t

Auto Truck Bargains.

Light auto truck ¾ ton, $250; 1½ ton Velie truck, in fine condition, overhauled and refinished, a bargain, $550, bargains for farm or delivery. Fred N. VanWie. advt 4t

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ODD FELLOWS BANQUET

OTSEGO DISTRICT CELEBRATES VISIT OF GRAND MASTER LYMAN J. CHENEY.

Impressive Degree Work at Odd Fellows Temple Precedes Elaborate Banquet at The Oneonta — Dinner One of Peculiar Excellence—Toasts Inspiring and Instructive to Members of the Three Links.

A memorable day in the circles of Odd Fellows of the Otsego district was celebrated yesterday evening when Grand Master Lyman J. Cheney of Salamanca paid his official visit to the district, accompanied by other grand officers from various branches of the fraternity.

Besides Grand Master Cheney the members of the visiting party were Edwin W. Sanford, grand patriarch of the encampment, Mrs. Minnie F. Leonard, president of the State Rebekah assembly, Harry Walker, grand secretary of the subordinate lodge, and William C. Gurney, major general and department commander of the Patriarchs Militant.

Immediately upon their arrival in the city the visitors were escorted to Odd Fellows temple where an informal reception was held, after which the impressive first degree of the order was exemplified.

At the conclusion of the degree work the gathering, some 150 in number, both Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, marched to The Oneonta, where one of their most excellent dinners was served in faultless fashion. Throughout the progress of the dinner a selected musical program was rendered by Cannings' orchestra they also furnishing the accompaniment for the songs in which the party united and for the male quartet.

After the opening Ode and "America" had been sung by the assembly Chaplain Dr. C. S. Pendleton offered prayer.

Rev. Leslie C. Nichols presided as toastmaster, a post which he filled in ideal manner, introducing the various speakers with witty and well chosen remarks. Grand Patriarch Sanford spoke on "The Encampment Branch," Mrs. Leonard on "The Rebekah Degree," Grand Secretary Walker on the "Odd Fellows Home;" Secretary Charles E. Westervelt of the Chamber of Commerce had for his subject "What Odd Fellowship Means to a Community;" Major General Gurney discussed the "Patriarchs Militant" and Grand Master Cheney confined his remarks more particularly to the "Subordinate Lodge."

All of the addresses were vibrant with the inspiration than can only be conveyed to Odd Fellows by their leaders and each speaker was greeted with enthusiastic applause.

The lodges of the Otsego district which were represented by delegations of Odd Fellows last evening, were Otego, Cherry Valley, Fly Creek, Milford, Hartwick, Oneonta, Sidney, Unadilla Forks, Richfield Springs, Unadilla, Schenevus and West Exeter. Visiting Odd Fellows from towns along the Ulster and Delaware railroad were also among the guests of Otsego brothers.

TRAINING BEGINS SOON

Military Drills to Be Started in All Cities of State Having Armories.

Military training of boys between 16 and 19 years old in Oneonta and all other cities of the state in which armories are located, will begin within a week, according to an announcement by the military training commission. All boys who are to have military training this year, irrespective of age, will be trained one period a week during the remainder of the school term, which ends June 15. This period will range from one to three hours a week, according to the judgment of the zone supervising officer of military training.

The state is being rapidly organized in preparation for the work. Although the final program contemplates a course of military training graded according to ages up to the maximum of three hours a week set by law as far as boys who are not employed are concerned, the commission has decided that for the few weeks remaining in the training year to put all boys on the same basis.

Cities in which armories are located and in which military training will begin include Albany, Poughkeepsie, Middletown, Newburgh, Hudson, Catskill, Kingston, Troy, Cohoes, Hoosick Falls, Gloversville, Schenectady, Mohawk, Ogdensburgh, Malone, Amsterdam, Whitehall, Glens Falls, Saratoga Springs, Binghamton, Watertown, Walton, Oneonta.

STRAND TODAY.

Around the World in 80 Days by Jules Verne.

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IMPROVED STREET LIGHTS.

New and Modern Luxzolite Lamps Replace the Old Design.

Not a few persons were surprised to observe that the electric street lights seemed more penetrating and powerful last night than before and inquiry disclosed that the company which has been preparing for weeks had cut over a portion of the city with new lights on Tuesday evening, especially in the fifth ward and yesterday the remainder of the city was equipped with the new lamps so that last night practically every arc light in the city was the new and modern light.

The new light is known as the Luxzolite, manufactured by the Westinghouse company and while the old lights in use may have had larger candle power originally they had become worn so that they were not efficient. The lights introduced have a candle power of 600 and by the introduction of refractors the light is diffused downward and over a wider area and is far more serviceable.

Just why the old light, which threw just as much light skyward and earthward, wasting half its power, was adopted cannot be explained unless it be in anticipation that they might be required to detect hostile aircraft that might at some future time be sent against us. In any event the new lights are far more valuable to those who travel about the streets.

In order to use the new lights the old generators and old transformers were displaced and new ones provided. One of the noticeable facts in connection with the new generators was their influence upon the boulevard lights along Main street which were not changed but which were to a perceptible degree increased in brilliancy and power, although nominally they are supposed to have been uninfluenced by the change. This is but one of the many improvements which the new company is making to bring the service in the city to the highest degree of efficiency and of quality.

SOON IN REGULAR ARMY.

Captain Parish Rumored Transferred to Rifle Work.

It is announced that the First regiment of the National Guard, of which Company G, now guarding the Ashokan reservoir, is a part, will soon be mustered into the federal service and become a part of the regular army. In connection with this move it is rumored, although no definite statement can be secured from any one in authority, that Captain Parish of Company G is to be or has been transferred to Peekskill to be engaged in a supervisory way with the rifle practice at that post. The rumor has been current for some time, but according to some familiar with conditions the change is about to be announced.

This will result, it is anticipated, in the choice of another to take charge of the company and several names have been mentioned in connection with this position. The regimental headquarters, it is said, favor the selection of Captain Augustin of the medical department or of Captain Millard of the field bakery division. What promotion will result is anticipated here.

When the company is mustered into the regular army there will doubtless be some action looking to the organization of a provisional company to do service in the state. This should result in many recruits for the new company.

The need of men for Company G as now constituted should not be overlooked by the young men desirous of performing service for the nation at this time. By enlisting with the local company association with men from this section is assured and the personnel of the command will be most congenial. There are other reasons why enlistment with the local company should be encouraged and it is hoped that before conscription is necessary that the local company can be brought to war strength which requires 150 men.

Giving Theatre Party.

Being himself an admirer of the silent drama, Mr. Breese of the Oneonta Department store, is giving his large number of employes a real treat at the Oneonta theatre tonight, where they will witness the latest William A. Brady feature, "A Woman Alone," with the charming Alice Brady as the star. The title is one that would sink deeply into the minds of all husbands and husbands-to-be. Carried away by the hustle and excitement of the financial world few men realize how utterly lonely the home can be. At least there are friends or the theatre to attend in the city, but even these pleasures are denied the heroine of our story. A late Pathe News reel will also be shown. Admission 10 cents.

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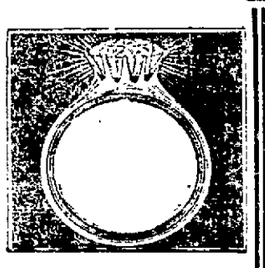

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PERSONALS.

J. D. Hall of Davenport was in Oneonta yesterday on business errands.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mix of Milford were in the city yesterday on business errands.

Mrs. C. W. Collins of Oneonta and her sister, Mrs. M. P. Morgan of Delhi, are spending a few days in New York city.

Mrs. Claude J. Utter and daughter, Doris Elizabeth, departed yesterday for a few days' visit with friends in Binghamton.

Mrs. Martha Davis of 8 Highland street is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Boorn, of East Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford R. Morris departed Wednesday for New York city, where they will remain for the balance of the week.

Miss Helen A. Himes of Oswego returned home yesterday, after visiting her sister, Miss Jessie L. Himes, of the Normal faculty.

Mrs. Joshua J. Sweet returned to her home in Unadilla yesterday, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Emilus Gardner of Fairview street.

Mrs. S. M. Reid of this city left yesterday for a few days' sojourn with her son, Hunter, who is a student of the Albany Business college.

Mrs. Wendell R. Morgan and children departed Saturday for Utica, where for a few days she will be a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. E. Stewart.

Mrs. A. B. Williams, who had been the guest for some time of her son, Charles, on Broad street in this city, returned yesterday to her home in Sayre, Pa.

Mrs. E. W. Elmore is spending several days with friends in Troy, in which city her daughter is also sojourning as a pupil of the Emma Willard school.

Mrs. Edward Parsons of the Parsons evangelistic party, now holding services at the First Baptist church, departed last evening for Scranton, Pa., where she was summoned by the illness of a sister.

A. F. Christian, formerly of the local police force, but now employed at the Endicott factory of the I. T. R. company, was in the city yesterday for the purpose of attending the Odd Fellows' gathering last evening.

E. Frank Diefendorf of Canajoharie and Miss Charlotte Diefendorf of Cobleskill, on their way home from the funeral of a sister, Mrs. M. R. Bourne at Otego, are guests of their niece, Mrs. R. J. Warren, Walnut street.

Prof. W. J. Multer of Roslyn, Long Island, is expected in Oneonta Friday, and will spend a day or two in this city with a view to engaging teachers for the coming year. Mrs. Multer, who has been in the city for the past week, will return to Roslyn with him on Sunday.

Fred P. Hunt, telegrapher at the general yardmaster's office of the D. & H., who has been confined to his home for the past month by illness which resulted in a gathering in the head, is improving and was able to be about the streets yesterday. He hopes to return to his duties in about a week and he will receive a cordial welcome when he returns.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Wright returned Monday from a two months' southern trip, much of which was spent at Daytona Beach. On their way north they stopped at Jacksonville, Fla., Washington, D. C., and Philadelphia, Pa., and on Monday they arrived at Binghamton, where until yesterday morning they were guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gillen. They report pleasant weather and a most delightful trip the whole distance from Oneonta back to Oneonta again.

MARRIAGES.

Brownell-Auch.

Dr. Morton E. Brownell of Ann Arbor, Michigan, and Anna M. Auch of Sebewaing, in that state, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Brownell, the parents of the groom. The wedding was a very quiet family one, Dr. J. C. Russell officiating.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Michigan Training school for nurses. She was called to this city by the illness of Dr. A. H. Brownell, as was also the groom.

Dr. M. E. Brownell graduated from the University of Michigan Medical school last June and has since been connected with the Ophthalmological department of the university. He has completed the first year of the three he is supposed to spend on this staff. As soon as Dr. A. H. Brownell has sufficiently recovered from his present illness, the bride and groom will return to Ann Arbor, where they will reside for two more years. Many friends of the groom in Oneonta extend congratulations.

Funeral of Egbert R. Cummings.

The funeral of the late Egbert R. Cummings was held at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon at the family residence, 17 Pine street, this city. The service was conducted by Dr. Charles S. Pendleton of the Free Baptist church and there was present a large concourse of relatives and friends and a profusion of flowers, testifying to the general esteem and regret. Following the service the body was taken to the Plains cemetery and placed in the vault for interment later. The bearers were: Dellmer Cummings of Richmond Hill, Wellman Cummings of Middlefield, Schuyler Thompson and Ellery Thompson of Middlefield, brothers and nephews of the deceased.

The following relatives and friends were present from out of town: Fred Page of Middlefield; Mrs. Moses Cummings of Maryland, Mrs. Ida Thompson and Mrs. Susie Thompson of Middlefield, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Cummings of Frankfort, Mrs. A. Norton of Ballston Springs, Mrs. E. Hamm of Frankfort and Mrs. Morris of Mt. Vision.

Hurrah!

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ONEONTA'S OLDEST RESIDENT

Mrs. Margaret Houghtaling Dies at Home of Grandson, Fred Murphy.

Margaret Houghtaling daughter of Daniel White and Leah Chrispell, died Wednesday at the home of her grandson, Fred Murphy, who resides on the homestead farm on South Mountain from the infirmities of old age.

Mrs. Houghtaling, who on January 28, celebrated her ninety-eighth birthday, had spent her entire life in the town of Oneonta and was probably the oldest resident of the town. She was born on the farm now occupied by her grandson, and in fact had never moved outside of the township.

She was a relative of Tim Murphy, the old Indian fighter, who helped to free this section of the state of the red skins who preyed upon the pioneer whites.

Funeral services will be held from the Murphy home Friday afternoon and interment will be made in the Houghtaling plot in Riverside cemetery.

COOKING AT WOMAN'S CLUB.

Miss Badger Prepared Divers Delicious Desserts—Tea Biscuits Today.

There were fully 60 ladies present yesterday afternoon at the demonstration of "Desserts" given at the Woman's club rooms by Miss Constance Badger, who is instructor in Home Economics in the State Agricultural school at Delhi and who has kindly consented to meet the ladies of the club and city. The desserts prepared yesterday had the same qualities which were prominent in the salads of Tuesday—they were easily prepared, they were not expensive, and they were delicious. The dishes prepared yesterday and by everybody tasted with perfect satisfaction, were Caramel Tapioca, Afterthought, Apple Whip, Nut Caramel Pudding and Coffee Souffle.

Today Miss Badger will demonstrate some "Variations of Tea Biscuit" and will also offer helpful corrective suggestions on the high cost of living. To members of the club the demonstrations are free, and to others there is only a nominal charge of 25 cents each day. Among the recipes demonstrated yesterday were the following:

Afterthought.

One pint apple sauce, sweetened to taste; yolks of two eggs, beaten; bake fifteen minutes, then cover with meringue of white of eggs and one-half cup powdered sugar and brown in oven.

Nut Caramel Puddings.

One quart boiling water, 2½ cups light brown sugar, six tablespoons corn starch, ½ cup cold water, ½ cup broken nut meats, ½ teaspoon vanila. Boil sugar and hot water 10 minutes, stir corn starch into cold water, add to syrup and boil 15 minutes. Add nut meats and vanila and pour into individual glasses. Served with plain or whipped cream.

Coffee Souffle.

One and one-half cups coffee, one-half cup milk, two-thirds cup sugar, one tablespoon granulated gelatine, three eggs. Scald together with coffee, milk and gelatine and half the sugar. Beat yolks of eggs and add balance of sugar, add to hot mixture and cook. Beat whites of eggs stiff and add when mixture is taken from fire. Served with whipped or plain cream.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank all neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness extended us during the illness and death of our husband and father, also for the beautiful floral pieces.

Mrs. Anna Cummings.
Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Cummings.
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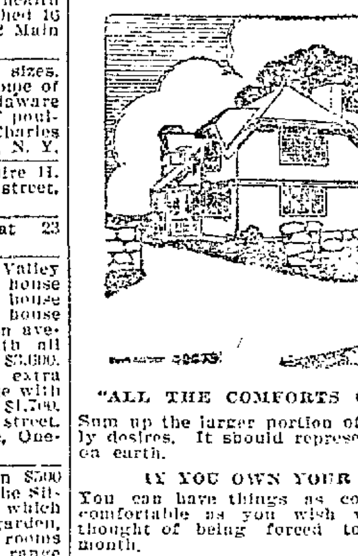

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For many years he was engaged in the meat business here and at Maryland. Of a large family, the only survivors are a brother, E. E. Pickett, and two sisters, Mrs. D. C. Bouton of Charlotteville and Mrs. VanWagner. The funeral was conducted at the home of Mrs. VanWagner, Sunday afternoon, and interment was in Maple Grove cemetery.

More Farm Sales.

During this week C. S. Henderson, agent for the Strout Farm agency, has sold for James Nelson his farm of 94 acres in the town of Decatur, on R. D. 2, together with stock and tools to Chester Messenger of West Virginia. Possession given May 1.

Also the 75-acre farm with stock and tools of Gustave Gunkel, this town on R. D. 3, to John Feldman of New York city, possession given April 1.

Band Practice Resumed.

F. B. Robbins, the leader of the Worcester band, has returned from Rensselaer, where he spent the winter, and will reside at the old Robbins home on East Main street, which he purchased from his father's estate last year. Band rehearsals have been resumed so the people of this community may anticipate more of that fine music during the coming summer.

ESTEEMED MILFORD PASTOR.

Rev. N. B. Ripley's Return Requested By Methodist Episcopal Church.

Milford, March 28.—At the quarterly conference held at the Methodist Episcopal church last Saturday evening, the officers of the church unanimously requested the return of Rev. N. B. Ripley, the present pastor, to this charge for another year. Superintendent Martin of Oneonta was present and it was requested that he use his influence in the matter at the annual conference at Cooperstown next month.

This will be Rev. Ripley's sixth year as pastor and his services have given the best of satisfaction. His return is desired not only by his congregation but by the townspeople of all denominations.

Building New Barn.

Charles Cobb, who recently purchased one of the J. L. Colburn farms about a mile from this village, will at once repair the buildings. The two hop kilns and old barn are being torn down and a new up-to-date barn will be erected this summer. William C. Byard has the contract to do the carpenter work.

Meeting Saturday.

The Milford Home Economics club will meet at the High school building Saturday afternoon of this week at 2:30 o'clock. An excellent program has been prepared that no member should miss. Light refreshments will be served.

Village Improvement Meeting.

The Milford Village Improvement society will hold a meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. K. H. Baldwin, on Friday afternoon of next week at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Carload Overlands Received.

The Francis Motor Sales company received a carload of Overland and Willys-Knight cars Monday, four cars arriving in what is known as a double deck car. The new Willys-Knight seven-passenger car is a beauty and is attracting considerable attention.

Ladies' Aid Elect Officers.

The annual business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kent Barney and was well attended. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Eugene Jewell.
Vice President—To be appointed.
Secretary—Mrs. Fred Teel.
Treasurer—Mrs. Stuart Haight.

Following the business meeting fancy work occupied much of the time and later refreshments were served.

ELK CREEK ETCHINGS.

Elk Creek, March 28.—Linn Palmer and family spent Monday in Oneonta. —Mrs. J. M. Baldwin of Westville is caring for her mother, Mrs. Lana Milks, who is in very poor health.—Mr. and Mrs. Abram Fling have had a Bell telephone installed in their home. —The receipts of the dinner held at Rev. G. Summerson's of Westford by the Ladies' Aid society were $6.15.—A. B. Stilwell had a horse quite badly injured one day last week. Veterinary Hodges of Worcester was called. —Mrs. Mahlon Eaten and infant son of Oneonta have been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Magee. — Menzo Best and Mrs. Minnie Haines were in Oneonta on business errands Saturday. — Mr. and Mrs. John Gano of Schenevus visited at R. J. Gano's Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Stilwell and daughter, Mabel, of Colliers, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Stilwell Sunday.

MIDDLEFIELD CENTER.

Middlefield Center, March 28. — The annual meeting of the church and congregation will be held on Saturday afternoon of this week. — Communion services will be held on Sunday, April 8, at the usual hour. — Mrs. Helen Huntington, who has been spending the past few weeks in Springfield, returned to her home on Saturday. — Mrs. Stanley Ottaway of Frey's Bush is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Snyder. — The Economics club meets with Mrs. T. and Mrs. W. Cunningham on Wednesday afternoon. — Ray Failing of Freys Bush spent Saturday night and Sunday at A. P. Snyder's. — Elmer Darling of Cobleskill is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Darling. — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham spent Thursday with relatives in Cooperstown. — Miss Grace Snyder, who has been spending a few days with her parents, has returned to her work in Canajoharie. — The Woman's Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Helen Huntington, on Wednesday afternoon of next week. All are cordially invited to be present.

COOPERSTOWN JUNCTION.

Cooperstown Junction, March 28. — Lester Howe visited his brother, John, at Worcester, last Sunday. — Mrs. Fannie Brownell of Maryland spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Silliman. — Miss Ella Cuck and Mrs. Hortense Maynard, both of Oneonta, visited Innette Dayton last Friday. — The supper for the Methodist Episcopal church was quite well patronized last Friday evening. Six dollars and eighty cents was realized. — Attorney C. C. Flaesch of Unadilla called at A. W. Dayton's last Monday while on his way to Schenevus. — William Caulkins of Oneonta was a brief visitor in town last Sunday evening. — A. M. Woodcock of Milford has been pressing hay for George Russell and M. H. Riddell the past week. — Frank Hillsinger was in Oneonta on business errands last Monday. — Farmers are reporting unfavorable sap weather thus far this spring.

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To Elam Ten Eyck and Edward Ten Eyck, severally residing at Syracuse, N. Y.; Hattie Owen and Augusta Owen, severally residing at Newark, N. J.; Burton Ten Eyck, George Leo Ten Eyck and Edna Moore, severally residing at San Francisco, Cal.; Lizzie Hibbard, Maryland, N. Y.; Clara Ten Eyck, George H. Ten Eyck and Seth Ten Eyck, severally residing at Davenport, N. Y.; William Ten Eyck, Fabius, N. Y.; Mary Crawford, New York city, N. Y.; Edna Hoke, Tiffin, Ohio, and Joe Allen, Montpelier, Ohio.

Upon the petition of Sarah T. Sherman of the city of Oneonta, N. Y., proponent, you are hereby cited to show cause before the Surrogate's court of Otsego county at the law offices of S. L. Huntington, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why a decree should not be granted admitting to probate a certain instrument in writing as the Last Will and Testament of Hannah T. Doolett, late of the city of Oneonta, said county, deceased, as a valid will of real and personal property; also to show cause why letters testamentary should not issue thereon.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of our said surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, Shirley L. Huntington, surrogate of the county of Otsego, at the surrogate's office in Cooperstown, N. Y., this sixteenth day of February, 1917.

[L.S.] ABIGAIL M. CLINTON, Clerk of the surrogate's court.

Gibbs, Holmes, Waterman & Holmes, Attorney for Petitioner, Office and P. O. address, Oneonta, N. Y.

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TIME TABLE OF
IN EFFECT SEPTEMBER 10, 1916.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows: *7:20 a. m., s1:15, *3:12 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows: **11:20, s11:55 a. m., 6:45 p. m.

* Daily except Sunday. s Sunday only.

Delaware & Hudson R. R.

"The D&H"

TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday,

Sept. 24, 1916.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows

NORTH BOUND.

	Arrive	Depart
303 Morning Express ..	6:13 a m	6:20 a m
305 Saratoga Express ..	9:40 a m	9:45 a m
307 Boston Express	11:50 a m	11:55 a m
309 Boat Express	4:10 p m	4:15 p m
311 "Flyer"	8:25 p m	8:35 p m
313 Sunday only	11:46 a m	11:50 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

	Arrive	Depart
300 Binghamton Local		8:20 a m
302 Local Passenger ...	10:35 a m	10:40 a m
304 Chicago Express ...	12:40 p m	12:45 p m
306 Oneonta Local	6:45 p m	7:00 p m
308 Chicago Express ..	6:50 p m	6:55 p m
312 Sleeper	2:30 a m	2:35 a m
314 Sunday only	11:10 a m	11:15 a m
316 Sunday only	7:00 p m	7:05 p m

Trains 311, 313, 314, 316 run Sundays.

Trains leave Oneonta for Cooperstown and intermediate points at 7:10 a. m., 10:25 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. on week days. Sunday at 11:55 a. m., and 7:10 p. m. Returning arrive at Oneonta at 9:55 a. m. and at 12 m., 4:30 and 6:40 p. m. Sundays at 11:05 a. m. and 6:40 p. m.

Southern New York Railway

Schedule effective September 4.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points at 8:05, 10:15 12:15, 2:15, *4:15 and 6:15 p. m. for Hartwick at 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Arriving at Hartwick one hour later, at Cooperstown one hour thirty minutes later, at Richfield Springs two hours later and Herkimer three hours later.

Trains will arrive at Oneonta as follows: 6:50, 7:47, 9:47, *10:57 and 11:47 a. m., 1:47, 3:47, 5:47, 6:47 and 8:51 p. m.

City Service.

Leave East End (week days) at 6:30, 7:15, 7:45 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, 7:25, 7:55 and every thirty minutes thereafter.

Leave the D. & H. for Normal (week days) at 7:05, 7:35, 8:05 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Normal for D. & H. (week days) at 6:33, 7:10, 8:10, 8:40 and every thirty minutes.

Sundays.

First car leaves Normal at 8:19 a. m., last car at 9:19 p. m.

First car leaves East End at 7:45 a. m., last car at 10:45 p. m.

First car leaves Junction at 7:55 a. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for Broad street at 10:50 p. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for East End at 10:20 p. m.

*Denotes daily except Sunday.

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Men's Suits and Top Coats. We feature the popular make of Style-Plus Clothes—once worn, always worn

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108 acre farm, one mile off state road, fine house, good basement, barn, henhouse and other outbuildings, running water. A great bargain, $1,900.00, $550.00 cash payment.

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177 acre farm on state road, near this city, splendid house, all improvements, electric lights in all buildings, basement barn, garage, large hen house, granary, feed house, horse barn, running water at house and barn, large lawn, splendid shade, spacious piazzas, a fine productive farm. Price $13,500.00.

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85 acre chicken and dairy farm on state road, one mile from railroad station and creamery; fine house, toilet and bath, hot and cold water, new barn, accommodations for 1,500 fowls, will include all farm tools, fodder about 400 fowls, young team horses, four cows, 2,400 egg incubator, etc., price $5,200.00, $1,000.00 cash payment.

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Today we probably have the instrument you want—tomorrow it may be gone.

We have several good square pianos that we will sell at $20.

We also have several organs, some six octave, some have high tops with mirrors, that we will sell for $5, $10 and $15.

10 PER CENT DISCOUNT on our entire stock of small musical merchandise (except sheet music) during this sale.

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Address .....

Have you any instrument? .....

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Mrs. O'Brien—An' I see yez takin' in washin' ag'in, Mrs. O'Flannigan? Mrs. O'Flannigan—Sure 'tis only to amuse the childer I'm doin' it. They loike the windies covered wi' steam so that they can make pictures on them!—Pearson's Weekly.

Knocks Obstinate Coughs in a Hurry

A Simple Home-Made Remedy that Gets at the Cause.

Thousands of people normally healthy in every other respect, are annoyed with a persistent hanging-on bronchial cough year after year, disturbing their sleep and making life disagreeable. It's so needless—there's an old home-made remedy that will end such a cough easily and quickly.

Get from any druggist "2½ ounces of Pinex" (50 cents worth), pour it into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Begin taking it at once. Gradually but surely you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether, thus ending a cough that you never thought would end. It also promptly loosens a dry or tight cough, stops the troublesome throat tickle, soothes the irritated membranes that line the throat and bronchial tubes, and relief comes almost immediately. A day's use will usually break up an ordinary throat or chest cold, and for bronchitis, croup, whooping cough and bronchial asthma there is nothing better. It tastes pleasant and keeps perfectly.

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STATE CIVIL SERVICE

Examinations for Saturday, May 5, in State and County Service.

The State Civil Service commission will hold examinations on May 5, 1917, in Oneonta and other cities of the state, for the following positions:

Junior assistant, engineering departments, $901 to $1,200.

Assistant bacteriologist, State Department of Health. Men and women. $900 to $1,800.

Laboratory apprentice, State Department of Health. Men and women. $600 to $720.

Laboratory assistant in bacteriology, State Department of Health. Men and women. $720 to $1,200.

Underwriting clerk, State Industrial commission. Men and women, $1,200.

Assistant steam engineer, hospitals and institutions. Over $600 and maintenance.

Forester, Conservation commission. $1,080 to $1,200.

Music teacher (female), State Agricultural school, Industry, $50 to $75 a month and maintenance.

Trained nurse, state institutions. Men and women. $420 to $600 and maintenance.

Bath attendant, men and women, state reservation, Saratoga Springs. $60 to $90 per month without maintenance.

Application forms must be filed on or before April 25, 1917. For detailed circular and application form, address: State Civil Service commission, Albany, N. Y.

Camps and Cottages in the Summer Paradise Territory.

"Camps and Cottages is the title of a 48 page booklet published by the Delaware and Hudson company. This booklet is issued in advance of the company's well known book, "A Summer Paradise," and contains a list of camps, cottages and sites for rent and for sale along Lake George, Lake Champlain and many points in the Adirondack mountains. The localities described are the most popular in this part of the country, and those desiring summer home accommodations should secure this directory and guide immediately. Copy of this book will be mailed free on application to M. J. Powers, general passenger agent, D. & H. Co., Albany, N. Y.

SECOND COMING OF CHRIST.

Evangelist Parsons Continues His Interpretations of the Scriptures.

An extra large audience listened to a masterful sermon last night at the First Baptist church by Evangelist Harlow Parsons. As usual the large chorus choir gave a short service of song and Edward Parsons sang a solo, which seemed to drive all gloom out and make ready for the evening thought. For the benefit of those that were unable to hear the wonderful message we wish to print the sermon in full but the lack of space prevents. The second coming of Christ is mentioned ten times more than the first coming in the Bible and we all know from the reading of the Scripture that He once did inhabit this earth and His work here among men, so why should we not believe that He is coming to us again when it is predicted in the same holy book. The fact that He is coming again cannot be too well emphasized on account of the sleepy condition of the church today.

The preacher reasoned that there is only one Messiah and that he is the one that is to come but in two ways, as foretold by the Prophets. First in the air which is not visible to the naked eye, that is he is with us now and always but later will come in person to earth with thousands of His saints who have already departed to a better life and judge those that are alive at that time.

His attitude toward death was certainly of the most optimistic type, for he said that was only a departure of our soul from this earth to the Beyond and that the grave was a tabernacle on earth for us from which we would arise at His call on His second coming. He quoted many passages from scripture that proves to us, if we believe in the Twentieth century English, that there is nothing spiritual about the second coming of Christ but a reality and the question for us to decide is, will we be ready?

The speaker held the audience breathless with his wonderful insight to the scriptures and his delightful way of telling others about it. The subject for tonight as advertised is The Great Tribulations.

There will be half hour prayer meetings beginning at 10 a. m., in the following homes: Mrs. Miller, 18 Brook street; Mrs. Matteson, 8 Cherry street; Mrs. Northrup, 27 Maple street; Mrs. Fairchild, South Side; Mrs. Eckerson, 1 Watkins avenue; Mrs. Murdock, 494 Main street; Mrs. Johns, 268 Chestnut street; Mrs. Parish, 44 River street.

D. & H. LEAGUE BOWLING.

Dispatchers Win from Freight House at Oneonta Alleys Monday Night.

On Monday night the Dispatchers won again from the Freight House. It was no easy taks for either team to come out ahead, as the games were all close and exciting to the finish. Shaw captured high game of 213 for the night's play. There were only three pins difference between the team totals and they were on the Dispatchers' side.

Freight House.

Gunther	190	151	173	514
Swartfiguer	140	124	143	407
Bishop	112	147	153	412
Waters	114	140	96	350
Westcott	161	171	200	532
Totals	717	733	765	2215

Team average, 738 1-3.

Dispatchers.

Kenney	147	135	114	396
Vaughn	182	131	153	466
Diamond	131	129	117	377
Case	122	196	120	438
A. P. Shaw	159	213	169	541
Totals	741	804	673	2218

Team average, 739 1-3.

Yard Office Vanquishes Round House.

Tuesday night the Round House team had a hard time to capture one game from the Yard Office, nevertheless there was plenty of excitement. Prindle had the honor of 201 for high game.

Yard Office.

Firman	149	164	143	456
Brown	129	136	171	436
Mahon	140	97	148	385
Prindle	137	201	119	457
Schoonmaker	107	176	160	443
Totals	662	774	741	2177

Team average, 725 2-3.

Round House.

Duddy	180	134	148	462
Buss	139	146	142	427
Winn	140	131	191	462
Larrabee	119	136	89	344
Hurley	156	155	163	474
Totals	734	702	733	2169

Team average, 723.

League Standing.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Dispatchers	43	20	.683
Round House	38	28	.576
Yard Office	31	35	.470
Freight House	29	37	.439
Engineering Dep.	21	42	.333

Selling Choice Guernseys.

Charles H. Naylor of West Laurens, who has quite generally been recognized as having one of the choicest dairies in this section, announces that he will sell at auction, at his farm at West Laurens, his entire herd of 25 cows, 5 calves and 1 registered bull of pure bred Guernseys on Saturday, March 31, at 1 p. m. Charles Nichols is to be the auctioneer. Here's an opportunity for those seeking to increase their dairies.

Department Store Party at Theatre.

This evening all the employes of the Oneonta department store will be guests of the firm at the Oneonta theatre—an evidence of appreciation on its part of the faithful and well-directed services of the entire sales force.

Block Print Trimming.

The newest sport suits for the south sent over by Callot show a block design in colors used as a border for skirt and jacket. Large blocks of Indian red will be used on a cream colored silk jersey suit.

100% Pure Turkish Tobacco Put Together Right

Who smokes Helmar?

The brains and back-bone of the Nation—Men of *affairs*—Men who demand and command the best.

These men smoke Helmar—Since when? For 12 years.

Because Helmar is made of pure Turkish tobaccos, Put together right.

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The Mildest tobacco for cigarettes is Turkish.
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Quality Superb

Makers of the Highest Grade Turkish and Egyptian Cigarettes in the World

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On terms to suit *Any Style*

COLUMBIA GRAFONOLA

You don't have to wait until you get fifty, seventy-five or even twenty-five dollars together. Just select the instrument you want, *make a small first payment, and have it delivered to your home at once.* Payments so small you will never miss them—and the pleasure so great that you will wonder how you *could* have been without a Columbia Grafonola before. Come in *today* and make your selection. We can arrange convenient terms.

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Tells How Vinol Stopped It and Built Him Up.

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Vinol is a delicious combination of beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptonates, and glycerophosphates, guaranteed to overcome all run-down, weak, devitalized conditions and for chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis.

We will return your money if Vinol fails to benefit you.

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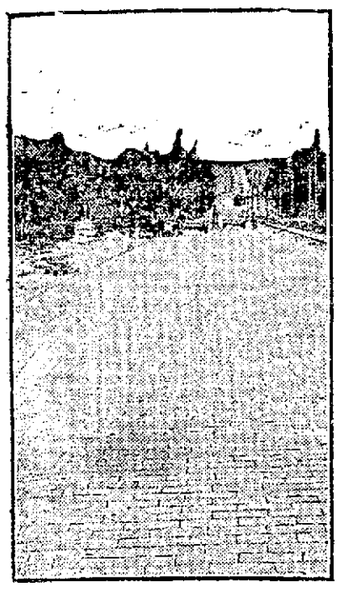
THEY AFFORD EASY TRACTION

These Roads Are Easily Maintained and Kept Clean—The Principal Disadvantage Is the First High Cost. For a Long Time Use of Paving Brick Was Confined to Cities.

Country roads paved with vitrified brick are becoming quite common in many of our states, according to a bulletin "Brick Roads," recently issued by the office of public roads and rural engineering, United States department of agriculture.

The principal advantages which brick roads possess, according to the bulletin, may be stated briefly as follows: (1) They are durable under practically all traffic conditions, (2) they afford easy traction and moderately good foothold for horses, and (3) they are easily maintained and kept clean.

The principal disadvantage is the first high cost. The defects which frequently result from lack of uniformity in the quality of the brick or from poor construction are usually to be traced indirectly to an effort to reduce the first cost or to a popular feeling that local materials should be used, even when of inferior quality.



CONSTRUCTING A BRICK ROAD.

The first brick pavement constructed in this country, it is stated, dates back to 1872, and Charleston, W. Va., has the distinction of being the first American city to employ this product for paving. For a number of years after its introduction, however, the use of paving brick was confined principally to city streets, and owing to the frequent inferiority in the quality of the brick and lack of care in construction very few of the early pavements proved satisfactory. Even now, after the experience of forty years has demonstrated that it is entirely practicable to construct satisfactory brick pavements when proper care is exercised and that much waste results from the use of poor materials or faulty construction, instances can still be frequently found where comparatively new pavements have wholly or partially failed from causes which might easily have been prevented.

The selection of the brick is one of the most essential features, for the success or failure of such pavements depends to a large extent on the way in which the brick will withstand the kind of traffic for which the road is designed. The engineers point out that it is very poor economy to use a locally manufactured brick unless this brick is of a high standard. Color, specific gravity, absorptive power or even the crushing strength of brick is not necessarily a reliable test. In general, of course, the brick should be uniform in size, perfect in shape, free from ragging and deep kiln marks. Each brick should be homogeneous in texture and free from objectionable seams. Fire cracks should be limited in number and extent, and the entire brick should be vitrified and should contain neither unfused nor glassy spots. Even field inspection and laboratory analysis, unless conducted by those especially experienced, however, may prove of little value.

According to the bulletin, the test upon which highway engineers appear to place most reliance is the "rattler" or abrasion test. In this test ten dry bricks are placed in a rattle barrel with ten cast iron spheres three and three-quarters inches in diameter and weighing 7.5 pounds each and enough spheres one and seven-eighths inches in diameter and weighing 0.95 pound each to make up 300 pounds of metal. The loaded rattle barrel is then revolved continuously 1,800 times at a speed not lower than twenty-nine and one-half nor exceeding thirty and one-half revolutions per minute. When the test is over the results are reckoned in terms of the loss in weight sustained by the brick. No piece of brick which weighs less than one pound is considered as having withstood the test.

Light Occupations.

Adding up a column of smoke.
Making keys for the Panama locks.
Fixing the teeth of a gale.
Taking care of self winding clocks.
Sweeping the room with a glance.
Painting the shadow of a doubt.
Manicuring the hand of fate.
Gathering eggs from a mare's nest.
Polishing the shoe on the foot of a [illegible].—Boston Transcript.

HIS HEART BADLY AFFECTED

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ROUGHAGE FOR HORSES.

Feeding of Oats and Pea Hay Permits Reduction of Grain Ration.

While oats and pea hay are well known as roughage for cattle, particularly in dairying, as roughage for horses perhaps it is not so commonly used, says I. L. Owens of the New Jersey college farm. Timothy hay has been held as the ideal hay for the horse, and other hays, especially those rich in protein, are looked upon somewhat unfavorably. As roughage for horses oats and pea hay are worthy of a more extended use on account of their great feeding value. The peas add protein to the ration and more nearly balance it, so that with proper judgment a decided reduction may be made in the amount of grain fed and the animal kept at less cost.

I have wintered twelve head of horses on oats and pea hay, feeding them since early fall, and have never wintered horses more economically nor even had them looking better. The grain ration has been corn and oats, mixed so that the corn was about two-thirds by bulk. Where some of the horses have had only sufficient work for good exercise, nearly all the grain was taken away, only three or four quarts being fed a day. The horses have a glossy, healthy appearance and are in fine shape for the heavy spring work that will soon begin. With the exception of a slight case of colic, due to an overfeed of grain, there has not been a case of sickness among the twelve head of horses eating the oats and pea hay.

One item of value in the growing of oats and pea hay should be taken into account. It is the yield an acre. Often a field is continued in timothy when the stand is poor and a light yield certain, in order that sufficient hay may be secured to feed horses for the following winter. If plowed and sowed to oats and peas a much higher yield could be secured. Another item in favor of raising the oats and peas is the opportunity to keep up the fertility of the soil, whereas with timothy the opposite is quite often the case. Oats and peas are cut for hay when the oats are in the milk stage. An opportunity is thus given to sow the ground to cowpeas, soy beans or other nitrogen gathering plants, which, plowed under for green manure, add greatly to the soil fertility. Cowpeas and soy beans may also be cut and fed green or can be put in the silo with the corn or made into hay if the season will allow.

Why Japan Cannot Be Starved.

Two of the most interesting sights in Tokyo are the fish market at Nihombashi and the Mitsukoshi department store, very near the Billingsgate of Tokyo. Nihombashi is not only the geographical center of Tokyo, but of Japan, according to the Japanese, who ought to know. Here is situated what is probably the largest fish market in the world. There is every kind of fish a man could mention and a few thousand other varieties. Some big fellows cut up into great steaks, weighing ten pounds or so, and there are little ones which would make good minnow bait, if one could find a hook small enough not to mangle them. I think that in certain sections they must use a chamois skin for a fish net and save everything that does not pass through the pores. Until the sea dries up around Japan the islands will never starve.—Christian Herald.

Tommy—Pop, what is a theorist? Tommy's Pop—A theorist, my son, is a man who thinks he is learning to swim by sitting on the bank and watching a frog.

HEALTHFUL WAY TO RESTORE GRAY HAIR

Bring Back Natural Color Without Dyes—Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Refunded.

You can have glossy, rich and luxuriant hair of a soft, even shade instead of gray or lifeless, faded hair or hair streaked with gray. It's very easy and simple, very healthful, safe and in perfect good taste—which dies are not.

Simply apply Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer as you would a shampoo. It is ready to use, harmless liquid, sold under the makers' full guarantee of "your money back if not satisfied." Use of Q-Ban will bring back a natural, soft, even, pleasing color, full of beauty, and lustrous and fluffy as a girl's hair. No one can tell you have applied Q-Ban, because it doesn't work a look unnatural as a dye does. You will be delighted with your air of youth and vitality, and your hair will have real health. Only 50c a bottle at Dickson Bros. or any good drug store, or write Hessig-Ellis Drug Co., Memphis, Tenn., mentioning the druggist's name. Illustrated, interesting book, "Hair Culture," sent free. Try Q-Ban Hair Tonic, Q-Ban Liquid Shampoo, Q-Ban Toilet Soap—also Q-Ban Depilatory (odorless) for removing superfluous hair. Advt.

HOW

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ONE house owner writes: In our heater we have a damper in funnel, one at top of heater, one in fuel door and one in ash pit door; also at top of heater is a small door which when open allows air to get into funnel, thus checking draft. This is between funnel damper and one top of heater. We have fourteen radiators in a house of twelve rooms and two bathrooms.

Assuming your radiators are large enough and full of water, you should have no great trouble. However, it is very important to keep the air out of the radiators in the top floor, and we test ours on that floor every day by opening the little air valve on radiator until the water flows in each one, then closing. If the water does not come there is quite likely not enough in the system to fill all. We then run more in until it shows in overflow pipe.

Another important thing is to keep the ashes from off the shelves at the top of heater. We have a small door for each shelf admitting of cleaning, which we do with a wire brush on long handle. We brush shelves every morning, taking one minute to do it. While doing this have every damper wide open so as to draw the ashes away. The damper in funnel at all other times we keep closed just as tight as we can get it, there being sufficient space by hole in middle of it and around it to take off gas and make fire burn. We are particular to keep heater well shaken and well cleaned out in ashpit, as we get the best results by good bottom draft. Shake during day if necessary, but surely late in the evening, getting fire in good condition for night and putting on fresh coal on retiring. We then leave the dampers as follows: Funnel closed, top of heater closed, little door between slightly open, allowing some air into funnel; ash pit damper open the very least. The water now in heater is about 170 degrees and in the morning should be about 130 degrees.

In the morning close little door at top, open damper at top of heater, open ash pit door, leaving damper in funnel closed tight, and while we are getting the kitchen range a-going the heater is warming up nicely, and when next we go to the cellar we find 150 to 170 degrees of heat. We then open some of the radiators on the lower floor that we closed the night before. This we always do, as we think our plants do better if not in too hot a place at night. As for managing the heater during the day, it depends on the weather, but anyway we endeavor to obtain results by use of damper in ashpit door, believing bottom draft most economical and carries less waste heat into the chimney. Hope this will be of some use to you.

Old and Modern Customs.

Palm Sunday in certain places is called "Fig Sunday" from the custom of eating figs on this day, as snapdragons on Christmas eve, plum pudding on Christmas day, oranges and barley sugar on St. Valentine's eve, pancakes on Shrove Tuesday, salt codfish on Ash Wednesday, frumenty on "Mothering Sunday" (mid-Lent), cross buns on Good Friday, gooseberry tart on Whitsunday, goose on Michaelmas day, nuts on Allhallows, and so on.—London Chronicle.

Dead Men's Teeth.

Before artificial teeth were created deficiencies had to be made good by the real article, so body snatchers ravaged the cemeteries at night, breaking up the jaws of the dead to extract their teeth to sell to dentists for insertion in live men's mouths. An army of these ghouls followed Wellington's army. They were licensed as sutlers, but once night fell out came their nippers, and they prowled over the battlefield extracting the teeth of the dead or dying.—London Mail.

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Men's $2.50 and $3.00 Fine Shoes @	$2.29
Men's $2.50 and $3.00 Scout Shoes @	$2.15
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Ladies' Rubbers @	29c
Misses' Rubbers @	27c
Children's Rubbers @	25c
Men's $5.00 Hi-top Rubber Boots @	$4.00
Men's $5.00 Bullseye Rubber Boots @	$4.00
Men's Short Rubber Boots @	$1.85
Men's $4.00 Red Boots @	$3.19
Men's 85c and $1.00 Rubbers @	60c
Youths' Rubber Boots @	$1.25
Boys' Rubber Boots @	$1.50
Children's Red Top Boots @	75c
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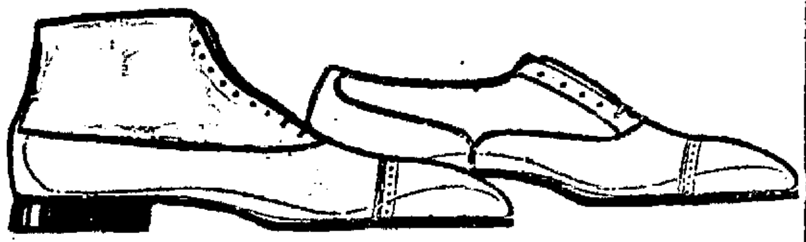

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William Mahon in Hospital.

William Mahon, in charge of the supply car of the Delaware and Hudson company, suffered a slight accident on the Champlain division Tuesday, and is now in the hospital at Plattsburg. Mrs. Mahon and daughter left for Plattsburg yesterday. No particulars of the accident are at hand, but the telegram to Mrs. Mahon says that the accident was not serious.

Scarcity of Veal.

There exists apparently a scarcity of veal and the question arises if there should not be a general movement among dairymen to see that no calves this year are sacrificed but that all are grown at least until they are marketable for veal. The wholesalers are advancing the prices on western beef and it would seem as if it would pay to raise veal in this section.

Entertains Embroidery Club.

The Jolly Ten Embroidery club was entertained Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Floyd Knapp, 140 Chestnut street. Lunch was served by the hostess. All departed voting her a royal entertainer. Mrs. Neele will entertain at the next meeting at No. 7 Otsego street.

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DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

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hospital for relief from kidney and stomach trouble. He underwent two surgical operations and seemed to be recovering. Last week he was removed from the hospital to the home of his daughter. His remains will be brought to Sidney tomorrow afternoon on D. & H. train 309. The funeral announcement will be made later. Mr. Hall was one of Sidney's substantial and most highly esteemed residents, a member of the contracting firm of Hall & Howland and active in the life of the village. He was a member of Sidney Masonic lodge, I. O. O. F., and the Sons of Veterans. He is survived by his wife, whose maiden name was Miss Mary Balknap, and two daughters, Mrs. Powell, mentioned above, and Mrs. George Bird of Sidney; also three brothers, J. E. and C. R. Hall of Sidney and Austin B. Hall, who resides in New Jersey, and one sister, Mrs. Tracy Burke of Binghamton, who recently moved to that city from Sidney. His age was 66 years.

Personal and Other Notes.

W. I. Florence has been spending the past week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Florence, at Canisteo. — Mrs. Ida Keith of Norwich has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Seeley the past few days.—Miss Gladys Wheeler, attending the training class at the Unadilla High school, spent Sunday at her home in Sidney. She had as a guest, Miss Helen Bass of Unadilla. — Miss Teresa Dimicco is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Martin Foy, at Binghamton.—E. Kelly, O. & W section foreman at Walton, and who recently returned from New York where he had been a patient at a hospital, following a surgical operation, has been the guest of his sister, Miss Mary Kelly. — Attorney H. B. Sewell was in Walton yesterday to attend the funeral of Frank Purdy. — Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gulle of New Berlin have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Guile. — Mrs. A. G. Smith and mother, Mrs. Clark, are visiting friends in Binghamton.

RICH BROTHERS POULTRY FARM.

Incubators With a Capacity of 12,000 Eggs Are Kept Busy.

Hobart, March 28. — The poultry farm of the Rich brothers near Hobart is a busy and interesting place these days. This is one of the largest, best equipped and successful poultry farms in this section. The owners have at present about 2,000 hens and are receiving at present 1,000 eggs daily. Their incubators with a capacity of 12,000 eggs are hatching about 4,000 eggs weekly. There are 28 brooder stoves running constantly. Last summer they raised about 7,000 chicks for their own use and they are planning to increase the number to 10,000 this year. They have about 2,500 chicks at present and expect to have the 10,000 by the end of April. The demand for little chicks is increasing every year and the product of the incubators above what they wish to raise for their own use will be sold. The Rich brothers raise nothing but white leghorns and have one of the finest strains for egg production to be had.

Meeting of St. Andrew's Lodge.

There will be a special meeting of St. Andrew's lodge, F. & A. M., Saturday evening, March 31, at 8 o'clock. The second degree will be conferred.

Ladies' Guild Today.

The ladies of St. Peter's church will meet at the rectory Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mildred All Making Good Recovery.

Miss Mildred All, who underwent an operation at the Oneonta hospital a week ago for appendicitis, is reported to be making a good recovery. Mrs. Irving All went to Oneonta today to visit her.

Gleaned by the Wayside.

Rev. and Mrs. W. N. Hawkins and daughter, Virginia, are visiting in Bloomville. — James Harkness of South Kortright was a business caller in town today. — William Lyon was a caller in South Kortright today. — O. B. Foote received a carload of stock last night. — Harry Vroman spent the day in Oneonta. — J. J. Gessner of Oneonta, superintendent of plant of the Otsego and Delaware Telephone company, was in town yesterday on business. — New maple syrup and sugar have made their appearance in the local market in considerable quantities. — The weather has been quite in evidence for the past two days and this morning the ground was covered with snow, probably the sugar snow that we hear so much about.

SIDNEY CENTER NEWS.

Charles H. Wilsey, Venerable Resident, Dies Suddenly on Sunday.

Sidney Center, March 28. — Chas. H. Wilsey died suddenly last Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. A. Shaw, with whom he had made his home for some time. His death was due to heart failure and diseases incident to age. The deceased was 88 years of age and was a son of Nelson and Mary Cooper Wilsey of Cooperstown. He was born in the town of Masonville, but most of his life had been spent in and near Unadilla. He is survived by one daughter, five grandchildren and three great grandchildren. The funeral, which was private, was held Wednesday at 11:30 at Mrs. Shaw's residence. Burial was given in the family plot in Evergreen Hill cemetery at Unadilla.

Death of James Voorhees.

The news was received here Monday of the death of James Voorhees of Brooklyn, a well known and greatly esteemed summer resident of this place. His funeral was held Monday with interment in Greenwood cemetery.

To Confer First Degree.

Maywood lodge, No. 904, I. O. O. F., have invited the degree team of G. L. Halsey lodge of Unadilla to be present at their meeting on Thursday evening and assist in conferring the first degree. A banquet and smoker will follow the degree work.

Maywood Grange Meets.

Maywood grange will meet in Odd Fellows hall next Tuesday evening. The subjects for discussion are Farm Crops; Milk, a Cheap Food; The Food Value of Butter; Favortie Ways of Using Milk; recitation by Miss Edna Hulett.

Siftings from Sidney Center.

The Delta Alpha class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will be entertained by Mrs. Bert Bowman and Mrs. James Butts at the home of Mrs. Bowman on Friday evening. — Among real estate transfers this week was the sale on Monday of Charles Griswold's farm near Pine Glen to J. B. Ferguson of this village; also the purchase by Marshall DeMelt of a portion of the Hodges farm. — Mrs. Clark Gerowe left last Saturday for New York city, where Mr. Gerowe has a position with the Hartman-Blanchard Coal company. They have rented furnished rooms and will begin housekeeping at once. — Claude Goldsmith and Dr. Winans of Franklin were in town last Monday to confer with a committee from the Village Improvement society in regard to electric street lights. — Very little maple sugar has been made in this vicinity so far this season, the weather conditions not having been favorable. Oscar Wheat, who was the first farmer in this section to tap his trees, made a large quantity last week, which he disposed of at Unadilla for 28 cents per pound. — Dr. Orrie Shaw of Payson, Ill., was called here early in the week by the death of his grandfather, Charles Wilsey.

DELHI DAY BY DAY.

Edgerton House, Delhi's Oldest Hostelry, Still Holds Its Popularity.

Delhi, March 28. — The Edgerton house still holds first place in the minds of the traveling public who visit our beautiful village. Its historic fireplace affords a cordial welcome to a large number, who have known it for many years. Noted attorneys and judges have enjoyed its hospitable greeting for many moons. Seventy-five cords of three-foot wood have been consumed yearly by it since the first construction of this hostelry. Surely this is a landmark almost as well known as the village itself.

New Maple Sugar Once More.

Farmers are bringing new maple sugar and syrup to town. One dealer has been retailing the sugar at 42 cents per pound.

Central Hotel for Sale.

This property, which belongs to the estate of the late Philo F. Benedict, is now on the market for sale and several parties are contemplating its purchase.

Basketball.

The Independents of this village played the team at Walton last evening, Walton winning, score 45 to 37.

Special Car Coming.

Large bills have been posted, advertising a special train over the Ontario and Western, run by the Sheep Growers' association, to show the advantages to farmers in keeping sheep. The train will be at Delhi Thursday, April 5, from 4 to 7 p. m.

Edward Woodard Operated Upon.

Dr. C. R. Woods accompanied Edward Woodard of this town to the Polyclinic hospital in New York, where Mr. Woodard was operated upon yesterday.

A New Bungalow.

The Forman bungalow, corner of Main and Franklin streets, is assuming shape and will be an improvement to that part of the town.

Delhi Motorists on Honor.

The taxpayers having voted down the question whether we shall have a policeman, is construed as meaning that there shall be no officer to regulate, control and direct automobile drivers on the public streets of the village the present season. All will be on their good behavior and will be expected to observe the laws of the road.

TREADWELL TIDINGS.

Treadwell, March 28.—The Ladies' Aid society will hold a poverty social in the church parlors on Friday evening. A 20-cent supper will be served. The Epworth league will sell homemade candy at this time. — School reopened Monday morning. The Roaring Brook school closed Friday for a two weeks' vacation. — Mrs. Hanford Dumond is spending a few days in Oneonta. — Word was received here Monday morning of the death of Mrs. Reli Bourne of Otego, a former esteemed resident. Her funeral was held from her late home on Wednesday at 1 p. m. Body to be placed in the vault, later to be brought here for burial. — Miss Thankful Barnes has returned to her home here. — Born, Friday morning, a 6½ pound daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Barclay. — A. L. VanTassel is away this week visiting the towns in the southern part of the county. — Mrs. Mary Goodenough is spending a brief time at her son's home in Meredith. — H. G. Munn and wife entertained a few friends on Friday. — Harry Goodenough, accompanied by his brother, Lewis, and Dr. Warren of Franklin, went to Binghamton Friday. Saturday morning the first mentioned underwent an operation for the removal of a goitre. Last reports indicated that he was doing well. — John Knapp of New York was in town last week to see his grandmother, Mrs. Frances Knapp, who has been quite ill. She was moved Saturday to Miss Anna Redfield's home, where she will remain for a time until her health is more fully restored. Mr. Knapp returned home Monday morning. — Eight members were added to the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday morning by letter. Next Sunday morning will be Rev. Frear's last Sunday in this conference year. No evening service. — Mrs. Porter Stilson is improving from her recent illness. Mrs. Winfield Stilson is also on the gain. — D. B. VanBuskirk and wife entertained the grange Saturday evening. — Orrin Brasee and wife and Miss Jane Brasee attended the funeral of Miss Townsend in Meredith on Tuesday.

DEATH OF AN OLD SOLDIER.

William Richardson Passes Away at Home of His Daughter.

Bovina, March 28. — William Richardson, a soldier of the Civil war, who served three years in Company E, One Hundred and Forty-Fourth regiment, died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John A. Irvine, in this town, where he has made his home since the death of his wife. He was born in Scotland and came to America with his parents when a boy in his teens and had since resided in the town of Bovina. He was a stone mason by trade and an expert workman, having done much of the stone work on the farm and buildings of Commodore Gerry at Lake Delaware. The funeral was held today at the Irvine residence, conducted by Rev. J. A. Mahaffey of the Bovina Center United Presbyterian church. Mr. Richardson was 89 years of age. He was twice married and leaves, besides the daughter mentioned, two step sons, James and Henry Coulter, the former a resident of Pennsylvania, the latter of Pawling.

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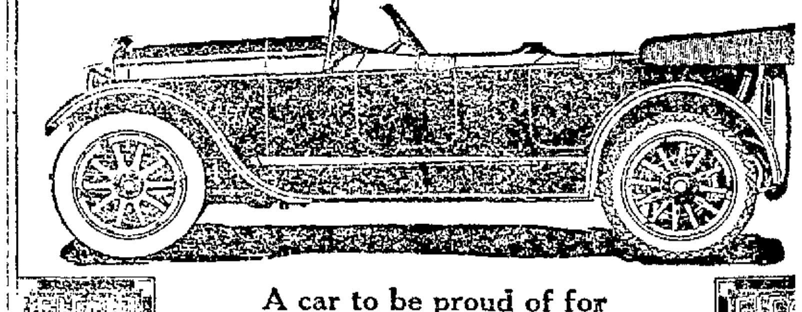

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